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RESOLUTION

THAT the Articles of Association be altered in manner following:—

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AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the same place and on the same day at 11. o'clock in the forenoon or so soon thereafter as the Extraordinary General Meeting shall be concluded the forty-ninth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held for the purpose of passing the Directors' Report and Accounts, re-electing Auditors, and transacting any other business as may be properly transacted at an Ordinary Annual General Meeting of the Company. The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from June 7, 1938, to June 14, 1938, both days inclusive.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Oxford Group:
Changes in China

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—I am so glad that you, representing the leading paper in the Far East, have also taken keen interest in the "Challenge of the Oxford Group" as evidenced by your recent reproduction of James Fairlie's speech in the London "Daily Mail."

In writing these lines, I not only feel a sense of appreciation to you as Editor, but I have also a feeling of bounden duty to the public in reiterating that all what was claimed in that article is nothing but truths which are now challenging the attention of even our leaders in China today. A leading article in "The Times" notes the remarkable spirit with which Generalissmo and Madame Chiang Kai-shek are tackling the arduous defence of China. The only hope for the whole world today is a moral and spiritual awakening that is co-extensive with the world's need.

Dr. Buchman has well said that the only sane people in our insane world are those guided by God.

In Shanghai we see signs of the "Rising Tide" bringing about the newest and the greatest of all revolutions in all times—namely, to bring China under God's control, to make God-controlled living a reality in the home of New China, and so to provide a practical solution for personal, family and community problems.

Already we have seen much Life-Changing going on in the community of this city—broken homes remade, families bridged together, a new spirit of love and fellowship in gatherings, Buddhists changed to Christians, a new sense of patriotism and friendship, loving the enemy but hating the sin.

"Indeed, it is only God-inspired planning which can solve the tangle of human hates, fears and jealousies." For God is the master of all life. We must listen to His voice. A true patriot gives his life to bring his nation under God's control. The need of the nation is for more such patriots with a personal experience of Jesus Christ who will bring about the greatest revolution of all times whereby the Cross of Christ will transform the world. In the reconstruction of China we all must have vital message of peace, pardon, trust, love, more faith in God's Creative Power, more love in Christ's new life and more surrender in Holy Spirit convictions.

Shanghai O. G.

Shanghai, June 4.

Foreign Concessions:
J. C. de B. Supported

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—I agree with J. C. de B's letter in your paper of even date, and it is not too late for the Chinese Government to approach the British and French Governments for the taking over of the former British, Russian and German Concessions, including the Chinese sections around the Concessions.

As I mention above, it is not too late, if only the Chinese Government would forget about "face," negotiations could be started at once and I think that the Japanese military authorities would have no objections in the matter, as long as the Chinese Government would withdraw her forces from Hankow. This would save Hankow from further destruction and loss of life.

Former Hankow Resident.

Shanghai, June 4.

Conte Rosso's Accident:
The Official Version

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—Regarding the circumstances which caused the running of the ss. Conte Rosso on Wood's rock, one of the Fisherman's Island group, and regarding what happened on board soon after the impact, some of the local press published news which is not quite corresponding to the truth, therefore, we would feel obliged if you will publish in your authoritative paper the following:

The ship struck when the Conte Rosso, surrounded by deep fog, not hearing the siren of Steep Island, had stopped her engines already for ten minutes and was just sounding in order to ascertain her actual position.

Given the thick obscurity and being unable to ascertain at once the entity of the damage suffered by the ship and the eventual dangers to which she could be exposed, the captain for a logical precaution—as per outstanding instruction in similar cases—sounded the signal of emergency in order to have passengers and crew ready at their assigned places for any possible event.

Consequent upon the striking and the signal of emergency it was but natural that the passengers should show some nervousness but there never occurred what some papers thought to have to refer in this concern. On the contrary the conduct of the passengers and of the crew, in such a circumstance, was really exemplary and deserves full praise.

As soon as it was ascertained that the ship ran no risk, the life on board returned to normal with music, dancing, etc.

We wish to add that the Chief Officer on board was never interviewed by any newspaper reporter.

Lloyd Triestino.

Shanghai, June 3.

Derby Reception:
Further Discussion

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—Interested's letter in your today's issue on the subject of the B.B.C. commentary on the Derby is rather interesting, inasmuch as it proves again that one cannot account for the vagaries of radio reception. Until the receiving sets have reached such a high degree of perfection as to overcome all obstacles and pitfalls that are still waylaying the great minds who gave us this marvel of modern times, I am afraid that complaints such as Interested writes about will occur frequently.

I happen to possess a wireless set of the same make as the one mentioned by the Editor, but mine is a seven-tube instrument, and I can assure Interested that in spite of the unimposing number of tubes, the B.B.C. commentary on the Derby came through as perfectly as one could desire. (Does one not as a rule set too much store by the number of tubes a radio contains? Only this morning I happened to read an advertisement of an American make "sporting" no less than 20 tubes, capable of "plucking stations as far away as 12,000 miles from the sky" and I wondered whether perhaps in this case 8 tubes or more could be removed with impunity!) It is very seldom, if ever, that I am unable to pick up Daventry. At the very moment that I am writing this, 8.30 p.m., I am enjoying the B.B.C. Empire Symphony Concert. As I had already heard this same concert this afternoon at one o'clock, in fact the reception then was even better than it is at present, it does not matter much whether I am losing part of it now. All three receptions, the Derby, the 1 p.m. and the present one are on the 16 metre band, which wave-length I find by far the best for Daventry, whilst the 13 m. reception comes in well at a later hour.

Apart from the make of the set, a lot depends of course on the locality, the aerial and the direction in which the latter is running. I am residing in a quiet quarter of the French Concession, far from trams, neon signs and heavy motor traffic. My antenna is nothing out of the ordinary, the usual length of wire strung between two bamboo poles, suitably insulated, but running from N.E. to S.W. Perhaps with the latest improvements in the matter of aerials of which one is always reading nowadays, such as doublets, adjustables, etc., I may get even better reception than I as a rule get now.

Flippie

Shanghai, June 3.

S.S.P.C.A. Tea:
Thanks to Assistants

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—The Shanghai Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals would like, through the courtesy of your columns, to thank all those who helped to make the Bridge and Mahjong Tea held at the American Women's Club on June 3 such a success. In particular we would like to mention: Alexander Clark, Culty Dairy, British Flower Shop, Mr. W. J. Kerr, S.M.C. Parks and Open Spaces, Shanghai Chapter No. 3 Order of the Eastern Star, Mr. Lamb, Mr. K. E. Newman, Mr. E. C. Robinson, and Mrs. L. W. Brace.

Dorothy M. Boaler, M.B.E.
Chairman, Organizing Committee.

Shanghai, June 4.

"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs":
Unsuitable Preliminary

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—I know now why "children under fourteen must be accompanied by adults" at the Nanking Theatre.

While thoroughly grateful to all responsible for bringing such a gem as "Snow White" to us, one cannot help wondering why the Nanking management have not shown more thought in the completion of their programme for this, after all, is essentially a children's show.

The little ones, on fire with impatience to see the picture they have waited for so long, must pass a final endurance test during a good half hour's interminable boredom before Snow White comes at last. They need all the pacifying and soothing that adults can give them during "The March of Time" when, believe me, Time just stands still as we drag through innumerable scenes varying from being merely unintelligible to downright unsuitable for children.

I write this, knowing that some parents can still profit by my experience by booking their seats in advance and arriving half an hour late.

A Mother.

Shanghai, June 4.

Bitten By a Dog:
Lady's Request

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—At about 9 p.m. on June 3 at Rue du Père Hue (off Route Boissezon), my dog became involved in a fight with an airedale owned by a European gentleman.

During the struggle, in separating the dogs I was bitten by the airedale. I received treatment for the bite and was informed that if the dog could be located and put under observation it would be unnecessary for me to undergo the full Anti-Rabies treatment of twenty-four injections.

Unfortunately, I forgot to ask the owner of the airedale his name, therefore I would be greatly obliged if he would kindly call Telephone 73318.

This is supplementary to my advertisement in another column.

C.L.

Shanghai, June 4.

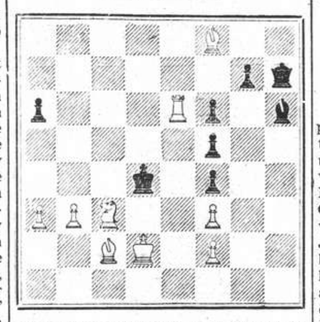
S.V.C. Routine Orders

Strength:—Increase:—The undermentioned are taken on the strength of the Corps and their units on dates shown:—"A" Battalion:—"A" Company.—Pte. J. F. Lovell May 31. "B" Battalion:—American Company.—Pte. C. A. Bell June 3. Decrease:—The undermentioned are taken off the strength of the Corps and their units on dates shown:—Corps Troops:—Signals Company.—Sigmn. A. L. Symons May 27. "A" Battalion:—Scottish Company.—Pte D. K. Hislop May 25.

At the Royal Derby Night Ball, Miss Evelyn Dall, a 20-year-old American blonde, sang "It's Nice Work if You Can Get It" to an audience including Their Majesties. The American Ambassador, Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, and Mrs. Kennedy and Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh.

CHESS

PROBLEM No. 109.
By P. A. Boorer



White plays and mates in three moves.

Answer to Prob. No. 108

White: K on KR3; Q on QR6; R on K1; B's on Q8, KK14; Kt on KB1; P on KR4. Black: K on KB5; Q on QR1; B on KR2; P's on QK16, QB3, Q2, KB5, KK12. 3 Two moves. Key Kt — Kt3. Threat R — K4.

Black	White
1. P — QB4	2. Q — Q6
1. P — KB4	2. B — B7
1. P — K4	2. B — K15
1. P — Kt4	2. Kt — R5
1. R — K4, Kt5	2. Q — B1

After the publication of (say) half a million two movers during the last century, it has become very difficult to express a new piece of strategy in a single variation. A favourite device is, by repeating the same idea in several variations, to achieve a numerical record. Mr. Woodward's pleasant problem shows, for the first time, a threat key introducing four interferences of one Black R by P's. There is a "major" dual after R — Kt1, etc., since 2. Q — B4 is never forced by any Black move; this would have caused gnashing of teeth among the Victorian problemists, but the modern feeling is to leave such side-issues to the discretion of the composer.

The following submitted correct solutions to Prob. No. 108:—J. Lindner, J. Lawrence Rozario and C.R.D.

Played in Brazil

Budapest Defence

White	Black
Dr. W. O. Cruz	O. Trompowsky
1. P — Q4	Kt — KB3
2. P — QB4	P — K4
3. P × P	Kt — Kt5
4. B — B4 (a)	Kt — QB3
5. Kt — KB3	B — B4
6. P — K3	B — K15ch (b)
7. K — K2 (c)	P — QK13 (d)
8. P — QR3	B — K2 (e)
9. P — R3	Kt — R3
10. B × Kt	P × B
11. Kt — B3	B — R3
12. K — Kt1	B — KB1
13. Q — B2	B — KKt2
14. Q — B5	Kt — K2
15. Q — R5	Kt — Kt3
16. R — Q1	B — Kt2
17. Kt — Q5	P — QR3 (f)
18. Kt — B3	P — QB4
19. Kt — Q5	B × Kt
20. R × B	Q — K2
21. B — Q3	Castles Q
22. K — Q2 (g)	KR — K1
23. K — B1	Kt × P
24. Kt × Kt	B × Kt
25. R — Q1 (h)	Q — B3
26. R — Q2	Q — Kt2
27. B — B5	R — K2
28. Q — Q1 (i)	Q — B3!
29. P — KKt4 (j)	Q — B3
30. P — B3	P — B3
31. B — K4	Q — P2
32. Q — R4	R — K3
33. Q — Q1	R — K2
34. R (Q2) — Q2	R — Kt2 (k)
35. Q — R4	P — KR4 (l)
36. R × P!	P — Q4 (m)
37. Q — R6ch	K — Kt1
38. R × Q (n)	Resigns

(a) Or P — K4, ceasing to trouble about the P, with a good game.

(b) This move, typical of the variation, was deliberately held back until White's P — K3, which cuts off his QB from the Q side. The Brazilian players are great students of such subtleties.

(c) Certainly a surprise.

(d) Dr. Cruz says that P — B3 would create the most difficulty for White.

(e) B — B1, for Kt2, is better.

(f) Loss of time, for after 18. Kt — B3 he must prevent Kt — K4. Therefore, B × Kt at once.

(g) Good judgment: he lets the KP go, to develop an attack on the Q side.

(h) So, after all, White has Castled.

(i) With excellent scope for her activities.

(j) The forcing move B × QPch would not achieve much: i.e., R(K2) × B, 29. R × R, R × R, 31. R × R, B × Pch, 32. K — Kt1, B × P, with the threat of mate or Q — B4ch should the R leave the file. So also, 29. R × QP would fail against B × Pch.

(k) He should not give up the option of R — K3. The Black loss is now certain.

(l) Overlooking White's intended sacrifice, but the game is gone. For instance, K — Kt1, 36. P — B4 B × BP, 37. Q — R6, Q — B1 (otherwise White continues R × P) 38. Q × Qch, and then P × B.

(m) Q × R allows mate in two by 37. Q — R6ch, etc., and P × R, 37. Q — R6ch K — Kt1, 38. R — Kt3ch also catches the K in a few moves. Black should now resign.

(n) A most interesting and entertaining game.

Championship of Brazil

Nimzowitsch Defence

White	Black
A. Ballestero	Dr. W. O. Cruz
1. P — Q4	Kt — KB3
2. P — QB4	P — K3
3. Kt — QB3	B — Kt5
4. Q — Kt3	Kt — B3
5. Kt — B3	P — Q3
6. B — Kt5 (a)	P — KR3
7. B × Kt	Q × B
8. P — K3	Castles.
9. P — QR3 (b)	B × Ktch
10. Q × B	P — K4
11. P — Q5 (c)	Kt — K2
12. B — Q3	B — Kt5
13. Kt — Q2	P — KKt3
14. Kt — K4	Q — Kt2
15. Kt — Kt3	B — Q2 (d)
16. P — B4	P — KB4
17. Castles	P — K5!
18. Q × Qch	K × Q
19. B — B2	P — QKt4 (e)
20. P — Kt3	Kt — B1
21. KR — Q1 (f)	Kt — Kt3
22. P × P (g)	B × P
23. P — QR4	B — R3
24. P — R5	Kt — Q2
25. P — Kt4	QR — Kt1
26. R — Q4	Kt — B3
27. B — R1	B — Kt4
28. B — Q1 (h)	R — Kt2
29. K — K2	KR — QKt1
30. R — Kt1	P — QR3 (i)
31. P — R3	P — R4 (j)
32. B — B4 (k)	B × B
33. R × B	Kt × P
34. K — B2	K — B3
35. Kt — Q2	P — B4!
36. P — Kt5 (l)	P × P
37. Kt — B3	Kt — B2
38. Resigns	

(a) Helping Black's development. P — QR3 is better.

(b) Since Black's Kt — K5 is no longer a menace, this seems unnecessary.

(c) White is behind in development and tries aggression, but his "pawn skeleton" begins to weaken.

(d) Necessary, before his P — KB4

(e) Excellent, for continuing the oppression of White's P's; and so is his next move, preparing for Kt — Kt3.

(f) KR — B1 is a better defence, meeting Kt — Kt3 by 22. B — Q1.

(g) R — Q4 for choice.

(h) If B × B, R × B, and either White's QKtP or QP will fall.

(i) A nice little move, which prevents any trouble from White's P — R6.

(j) Dr. Cruz has now achieved a stranglehold (a *"zugswang,"* as the Germans call it), resembling the problemist's block position, in which any move by the opponent gives away something.

(k) The only alternative is P — R4 (to stop P — R5), when Black plays the waiting move, K — B1. After this, White can no longer maintain the block. It is a most interesting study to try each move in turn; for example, (after 32. P — R4 K — B1) the harmless-looking 33. R — Kt2; then follows B × B, 34. Kt × B, R — Kt4, 35. Kt — B3, R × RP! Or again, 33. B — Q1, B — Q6, followed by R — Kt4, winning a P.

(l) Sheer desperation, this and his next move.—"Observer."

Secrets Act Appeal Case Dismissed

Reporter Who Published A Confidential Police Document Was Fined

Reasons why a journalist who publishes the contents of a confidential police document may be punished under the Official Secrets Act of 1920 were given recently in the King's Bench Divisional Court by the Lord Chief Justice, Lord Hewart, sitting with Mr. Justice Humphreys and Mr. Justice Macnaghten, he held that a borough police officer was "a person holding office under his Majesty," and gave judgment dismissing, with costs, the appeal in which Mr. Ernest David Gibson Lewis, journalist, of Derby-road, Heaton Moor, Stockport, challenged a decision of magistrates at Stockport, finding him £5 under the Official Secrets Act, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post."

The summons alleged that Mr. Lewis failed to give on demand to Supt. Arnold Cattle, of Southport Police, information in his possession relating to a suspected offence under Section 2 of the Official Secrets Act, 1911, contrary to Section 6 of the Official Secrets Act, 1920. The matter came before the Divisional Court on a special case stated by the magistrates.

The police-court proceedings against Mr. Lewis arose out of an article published by the "Daily Dispatch," Manchester, on June 17, 1937, headed "Frauds of Workers Alleged; Warrant for Man with Scar."

Editor's Protest

The article contained an almost exact reproduction of a confidential police document, circulated on June 14 by the Chief Constable of Southport to other forces, setting forth the fact that a warrant had been obtained for the arrest of a man on a fraudulent conversion charge, and describing the men and his mode of working.

Mr. S. H. Booth, managing editor of the "Daily Dispatch," under strong protest, supplied the police with the name of Mr. Lewis as writer of the article, and the police then asked Mr. Lewis the source of his information, which the reporter declined to divulge.

The argument on his behalf was that the police officer demanding the information was not an officer holding office under his Majesty, but a servant of the borough, and therefore had no authority under the Official Secrets Act to demand the information. Further, there was a contention that the Official Secrets Act could not be invoked. For Supt. Cattle it was contended that a police officer held office under his Majesty.

Lord Hewart said the magistrates found that the document circulated by the police was confidential to the police, and no instruction was given that it could be passed on to the Press.

Oath of Office

It was also provided by Section 6 of the Act of 1920 that it should be the duty of every person to give, on demand, to a Chief Officer of Police, or to any member of his Majesty's Forces, any information in his power relating to an offence or suspected offence, and, if any person failed to give such information he should be guilty of a misdemeanour.

In my opinion, Lord Hewart continued, it is true to say that every police officer in England and Wales, whether he be a member of the Metropolitan Police Force or a member of the police force of a county, city or borough, holds the office of constable and, with his constabulary, has all the duties and rights conferred by common law and by statute on the holders of that office.

He is required to take an oath of office, and his primary duty is to preserve the King's peace. It follows that a police officer is a person who holds office under his Majesty within the meaning of the Official Secrets Act.

It may be as well to observe that the justices, in submitting this case to the opinion of this Court, after stating correctly that the issue is whether a police officer is a person holding office under his Majesty, state that a police officer is in the service of his Majesty, being apparently under the impression that a person in the service of his Majesty holds office under his Majesty. That is not the case. There are many instances in which people hold office under his Majesty who are not, in any proper sense of the term, in the service of his Majesty. Likewise, there are many persons who are in the service of his Majesty but do not, in any proper sense of the term, hold office under his Majesty.

In my opinion this case is almost too plain for argument.

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CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Trinity Cathedral.—June 5.—Whitsunday.—Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8 a.m. Mattins and Holy Communion 10.30 a.m. Psalm: 145. Lessons: Joel 2, 28-32; Romans 8, 1-17. Stanford in B flat Hymns: 157, 156. Preacher: Rev. E. J. Ottewell, L. Th. (Mattins at 10.30 a.m. will be broadcast from Cathedral over Station XMHD, 760 kc., 394. 6m) Children's Closing Service 3 p.m. Evensong and Sermon 6 p.m. Psalm: 47. Lessons: Isaiah 11, 1-9; Romans 8, 18-39. Hymns: 155, 207, 154, 12. Preacher: The Dean. Bubbling Well Chapel 6 p.m. Preacher: Rev. P. C. Matthews, M. A. June 6 and 7.—Monday and Tuesday in Whitsun Week. 7.30 a.m. Holy Communion. June 8, 10 and 11.—Ember Days. Holy Communion 7.30 a.m.

St. John's Pro-Cathedral, Jessfield.—Evening Prayer in English at six o'clock Preacher: Rev. E. R. Dyer, M.A., S.T.D.

Union Church (International and Interdenominational), 107 Soochow Road (near the British Consulate-General).—Officiating Minister: Rev. C. Wilfrid Allan.—10.45, Morning Worship. Preacher, Rev. W. Hudspeth, 10.45, Children's Morning Service, in the Church Hall; 3, Western District Sunday School in the premises of the German Church, 1 Great Western Road; 6, Evening Worship in the Church, Lecture-hall, followed by the monthly communion. Preacher, Rev. C. W. Allan.

Church of the Air Programme
(XMHD 760 kc. 394.6m.) June 5 to June 11.
Sunday 10.30: Cathedral service
8.00: XMHD Gospel Singers.
8.30: Gospel Service. Miss Eva Spicer.
9.00: Russian Service and Music.
Monday and each day of the week.
12.40: News Items. N.C.D.N.
1.00: Devotional Service and Song.
5.00: Classical and Popular Music
7.00: Classical and Sacred Music.
8.30: Gospel Service and Music.
9.00: News Items. N.C.D.N.
9.15: To be announced.
Noonday speakers: Rev. Lowry Davis, Rev. A. E. Small, C. I. M. Friends and Rev. G. A. Jacobson. All are cordially invited to "Tune in."

Fourth Marines Church Grand Theatre. 10 a.m. The United States Fourth Marines will held their church service and concert programmes in the Grand Theatre, on Sunday morning, June 5, Chaplain Frank R. Hamilton, of the Fourth Marines, conducts the service and delivers the sermon on "The power to become." Sergeant M. R. Barton will render an instrumental solo a "Sacred Melody." For the service the band plays the prelude "The Morning" by Greig, and Rubenstein's "Melody in F" for the offertory. Mr. Willis Hathaway, of the Navy Y.M.C.A. Staff, leads the singing of the hymns. In the concert which follows Madame Raja Bershadsky, soprano soloist, is the guest artiste. The programme with the Marines' Hymn and the American National Anthem. A cordial welcome is extended the citizens of Shanghai of all nationalities to both the service and concert.

Endeavourers Church.—Morning service will be held at The Hut 495 Yu Yuen Road at 10 a.m. to be followed by observance of the Holy Communion. The Pastor, Dr. H. G. C. Hallock Ph. D. will preside. The mid-week Prayer-meeting will be held on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. at the Missions Building, 169 Yuen-ming-yuen Road, Room 365. All cordially welcome.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 1647 Avenue Road. Sunday Service 11 a.m. June 5 Subject: "God the only Cause and Creator." Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Shanghai Free Christian Church (Evangelical) 681 Hart Road. The services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Mr. L. T. Lyall, B.A. Afternoon at 3 o'clock—Sunday School. Evening at 6 o'clock by Mr. W. F. Rae. Services during the week:—Monday at 8 p.m. Young People's Meeting. Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting. Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.—Men's Bible Class. A welcome extended to members of the Foreign Defence Force.

Community Church.—Dr. Rufus M. Jones will preach in Community Church Sunday at 11 a.m. The organ voluntaries will be "Largo" from New World symphony by Dvorak, "Arioso" by Shelley and "Festival March" by Stark. The choir will sing "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" by Bach. Church School departments will meet as usual at 9.30 a.m. At 9.30 a.m. also, in the Church auditorium, there will be a service of baptism by immersion. Members and friends are invited. At 10.30 a.m. the Governing Board will meet with the new members who are to be received into the Church at the 11 a.m. service. At the close of the morning worship the Sacrament of Holy Communion will be administered.

Bethesda Gospel Hall (International).—729 Yu Yuen Road, Shanghai Gospel Services are held in: German: on Sundays at 5 to 6 p.m. on Wednesdays Bible Class for Ladies at 4—5 p.m. English: on Tuesdays Prayer Meeting at 5.30 to 6.30 p.m. Chinese: on Sundays Breaking of Bread Meeting at 10—11.30 a.m. on Sundays Gospel Meeting at 2.30 to 3.30 p.m. on Fridays Bible Class at 5.30 to 7 p.m.
Sunday 10.30: Cathedral. (ReJhmm "The Hut," 495 Yu Yuen Road.—Sunday School at 3 p.m. Evening Service at 6 o'clock. Pheacher: Mr. K. Faulkner. Bible Class—Friday, 7.45 p.m.

Saint Joseph's Church (Rue Montauban) Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8.15 and 10.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Sacred Heart Church (21 Nanzing Road).—Sunday: Masses at 7, 8 and 10 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6, and 7 a.m.

Saint Peter's Church (Avenue Dubail). Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 3.30 and 6.45 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.15, 6, 6.45 and 7.30 a.m.

Saint Theresa's Church (35 Tatung Road) Sunday: Masses at 7 and 8.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6.45.

Our Lady's Church (694 Baikal Road). Sunday: Masses at 6.30 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Church of St. Aloysius Gonzaga (730 Kiaochow Road). Sunday: Masses at 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.30, 6 and 5.50 a.m.

Church of Christ the King 235 Rue Bourgeat Month of June on Sundays, Masses at 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a.m. Benediction a 7 p.m., on Weekdays Masses at 6, 7 and 8 a.m., on First Friday, Masses at 6, 7 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 7 p.m.

Deutsche Kirche: Pfingstsonntag, den 5. Juni 1938, vormittags 10 Uhr 30 Deutscher Gottesdienst.

Sixty Years Ago

From the "North-China Daily News," of June 5, 1878

To those who are interested in improvements in the rigging of vessels a description of the barque Obed Baxter will well repay the trouble. This is a new vessel, and is rigged on the newest and most advanced principles. Her standing rigging for lower and top masts, fore and aft, consists of iron bolts, in sections of six feet in length, shackled together. Instead of passing through dead eyes, the ends of the lower and topmast rigging pass through gutta-percha cylinders, enclosed in iron, and set up underneath with screw nuts. Capt. Baxter, who commands this pretty barque, reports that the working of the rigging is all that can be desired.

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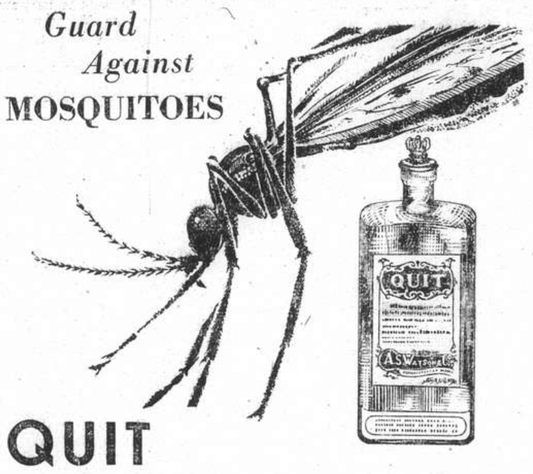

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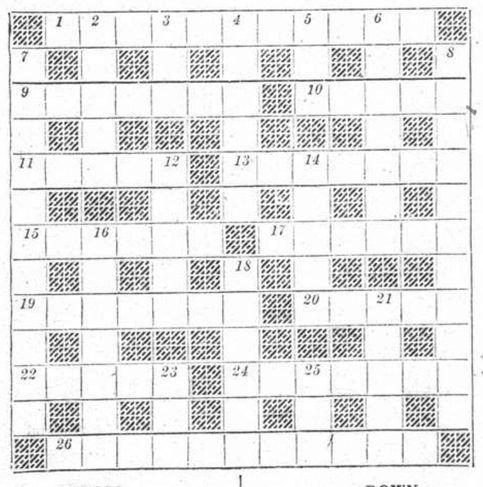

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1 Occurred in an enquiry into spirits, and the reply was "no"
9 Perhaps the first thing Mr. Bernard Shaw ever learnt to write
10 Not one of the "All Blacks"
11 Bitter, and much the same heartless
13 In this English town you negotiate the tail before you can put your foot on its head
15 There is a suggestion of unfairness about this antique sportsman
17 Father, look! Here's an Oriental
19 Turk you can sit on
20 The rascal to play a perfunctory part
22 What a break of three produces
24 Reception at a poultry show?
26 Imperative summons—not an elephant's (two words)

DOWN

2 Not a good shot
3 A soldier? No, about a hundred
4 He dwells in the Far North
5 First in rank
6 You can do this to a document, and a document can do this to you
7 Type as of old when disordered (anag.)
8 The friend to whom you lend a work you prize is so often good at this
12 Armed (anag.)
14 The solution for this is like Niobe
16 "Then felt I like some——of the skies When a new planet swims into his ken" (Keats)
18 Dress
21 Shakespeare's airy spirit
23 On the border line
25 Part of the circle in which Joan moved

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Five-Suit Bridge Outlined

Contract Essentials Not Appreciated by Average And Regular Players

By Anchorite

Much of what has been said about auction can equally be applied to contract. It is fortunate for the many Culbertson players that this system can be applied with very few logical modifications to five-suit contract. As for general principles as far as the bidding is concerned, in assessing the hand value about 25 per cent. should be added to the honour trick strength or to point valuation. Greater attention than ever must equally be applied to the distributional values, as for instance a long suit of say five or six trump cards reinforced by the exposed card when this is a potential trump, will give the hand great additional strength.

Each player must in the bidding consider the exposed card as forming part of his hand, together with the right to discard one of the unwanted cards. In deciding whether to exchange a card from his own or dummy's hand, the declarer must bear in mind that if he discards from his own hand he is giving away to his adversaries the information that he is short in that suit. Consequently, if he has the choice of two suits one in his own and one in dummy's hand, he should give preference to the exchange of dummy's card.

Culbertson Players

Pending the publication of a Culbertson book about five-suit contract which, however, is expected shortly, the following must be borne in mind The addition of the new suit will usually total about 11 honour tricks This, however, does not mean that all of those countable honour tricks will win tricks when a hand of five-suit bridge is played. Students of the game will soon learn, that the widow will create short suits and extra long suits, which will seriously interfere with the defence values to which we are accustomed. Since the standard basis for valuing the hand is the number of honour tricks, it has therefore been necessary to revise the requirements for opening bids and responses.

Honour Trick Strength

There has been very little time to analyze this new game extensively but it appears that to pass a strong hand in this game is even worse than in contract. The advantage accruing to the declarer's side from the use of the widow suggests getting the bidding started as early as possible.

Furthermore, with five suits instead of four, the partnership hands will usually have some sort of trump fit Starting at a low level will give the partners a better chance to find their best trump suit, instead of permitting the opponents to open the bidding, and then be compelled to enter the auction by overcalling with a bid of two or more. Culbertson first advised not to bid with less than three honour tricks, and usually to pass unless holding 3½ or more. Further study, however, indicates that this advise was not correct, as the trump length, plus the exposed card are far more effective in winning tricks than a hand full of honour tricks but with no good trump suit. With the present scoring he differentiates between the various suits—2½ honour tricks are usually enough for opening a bid if the hand contains a six-card royal; 3 honour tricks with a six-card suit in spades or hearts, or with two five-card suits, one of them in royals, spades or hearts. With 3½ or 4 honour tricks a bid should be found in a five-card or longer royal, spade or heart suit if possible; otherwise in a four-card minor.

One royal may be bid on the second hand, because of the strength of the suit; with a weaker four-card royal suit, a bid of one diamond would be preferred.

Biddable Suits

In view of the trump strength being so important, it is seldom advisable to bid a very weak four-card suit in five-suit Bridge, specially in royals, spades or hearts where most game contracts will be played.

It is equally seldom correct to raise partner's opening bid with only three trumps no matter how strong, until partner has rebid the suit. It is, however, of such great value to find a good trump suit (since the widow will work its greatest good for declarer), that when holding four cards in partner's suit (if royals, spades or hearts) it is wise to raise the suit bid in preference to making another response.

In royals, spades or hearts, a biddable suit should be five cards in length. Usually it should be as good as Kxxxx or QJxxx, possibly Q 10 xxx. A four-card suit should be strong, AKxx or KQJx. With the necessity for setting up tricks in outside suits, it is a dangerous task for the declarer to set himself, of establishing a weak four-card trump suit, as there will seldom be time, and if trumps cannot be led the opponents are likely to get in some unexpected ruffs.

In diamonds or clubs, any minimum four-card suit may be bid as in contract; QJxx or better, and should be bid in preference to shading the requirements for showing a major suit.

The "Widow"

The "widow" must of course be taken into consideration when bidding.

If the exposed card is an ace, king or queen, or a card of the suit bid by declarer, it should be considered as part of declarer's hand and counted into the requirements for making a bid. If the widow is not an honour or part of the trump suit, it should not be counted as part of declarer's hand. There is, of course, a great danger of overbidding unless the two partners realize that both of them cannot at the same time make use of the widow for creating extra suit length, voids or singletons in their hands. Both of them can be sure, however, that the widow placed will add at least one trick to the playing strength of the hand.

Scoring Table

Trick Values

	points
No trump	40
Royals	30
Spades	25
Hearts	25
Diamonds	20
Clubs	20

points

Game: 120 points below the line.

Rubber bonus:

When the opponents do not score game	700
When the opponents score game	500

Overtricks:

	Undoubled	Not Vulnerable trick value points	Vulnerable trick value points
Undoubled		100	200
Doubled, per trick		200	400
Redoubled per trick			

Undertricks:

Down	Undoubled not vul.	Undoubled vul.	Doubled not vul.	Doubled vul.
1	50	100	100	200
2	100	200	300	500
3	150	300	500	800
4	200	400	700	1,100
5	250	500	900	1,400

points

Honours:

Five Aces at no trump	300
Five Aces at no trump, or five honours at a trump suit	150
Four honours at a trump suit	100

Slam Bonuses:

	Not. vul.	Vul.
Small slam (14 tricks)	500	750
Grand slam (15 tricks)	1,000	1,500
Super or royal slam (16 tricks)	1,500	2,000

This scoring, however, is not meant to be permanent, and no doubt will perience has been gained and players wishes solicited.

There are many divided opinions if five-suit bridge has come to stay or not. It has gained great popularity both in Great Britain and America, and there is no doubt that it lends itself to many fascinating situations. The general opinion amongst experts, however, is that it will never replace contract bridge. The novice who has so much difficulty in handling four suits, may of course consider that he stands a better chance with five, and for those who seek adventure and novelty it will certainly be a welcome change.

Season's First Court at Buckingham

The Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Yoshida, with his wife and daughter, leaves his residence in Grosvenor Square to attend the first Court.

"Lo, I am With You Alway"

Sermon Preached in Holy Trinity Cathedral By the Rev. J. N. L. Bryan on May 15

Text:—*"Three gates on the East, three gates on the North, three gates on the South, and three gates on the West.* Rev. 21, 13.

SIXTY years had passed into history since the birth of the Christian Church, when to the aged Apostle on the lonely Island of Patmos, were given those visions which are recorded for us in the Book of the Revelation of St. John the Divine. The little gathering in the upper room at Jerusalem was growing into a large and powerful community, the influence and teaching of the Christian Faith was spreading into the most distant corners of the then known world. Along the mighty highroads which led into every part of the Roman Empire, the seeds of the Gospel were being sown, which were to yield in later years, the glorious harvest of the Christian Church.

But the years as they passed had not dealt too kindly with that infant community. Already the red hand of persecution had been laid upon them, and the times were dark and threatening on every side. Christ had promised His perpetual Presence, yet they felt no lifting of the Roman hand—He had promised to come again, and they yearned for His coming—it seemed in vain. So it was, that to St. John in that dark hour of the Church's need, there came these visions of hope and encouragement. He was an old man now, worn and spent in the service of the Master he had loved and worshipped, since those far off days when they had trodden the hillsides of Gallilee. He was the last of the Apostolic band, and he too, now, was in sight of the end. As his eyes looked across the waters of the Aegean across the ages which were yet unborn, he saw a new world reborn from the ashes of the past—an Empire of God stronger than the might of Imperial Rome, stronger than her heathen worship and debased priesthood, all destined to fall and crumble beneath the conquering arm of an Omnipotent Christ.

Death not Defeat

The message of the Revelation to the Early Church was simply this:—It was by death their Master had won to victory, and so along the same pathway must the Christian win his crown. Death was not defeat but glorious success, whether it came in the peace of old age or in the arena where the lions fed. On the other side there gleamed the towers of the City of God, and within the City Him, Who is the only light and the life of men.

Across the span of nineteen centuries we too can see, with the eye of Faith, the new Jerusalem as it stands foursquare, with its gates on each side of the city open for humanity until the end of time.

One might take this vision as a missionary subject, and point out the urgent and crying need in the world today, for all that Christ stands for. and all that He can mean,—in a world torn and distracted, and not knowing where to turn for peace and security.

The races of the East awakening through modern education, to a consciousness of their Power, and determining to play their part in world affairs, with all that must entail in administration and diplomacy. on the one hand, and on the other, stretching out blind hands in the darkness for they know not what, each with some great and peculiar gift to bring into the common community of the christian faith if only their feet are turned in that direction. And there are three gates in the City of God by which they all may enter in.

Or, one might take it in another way, and bring it a little nearer home. Just as the city embraces men of every colour and clime and tongue, so it includes every walk and class and condition of humanity. No one is to small to enter that city, no one is too young to serve it's King. In the days after the return of the exiles from Babylon the prophet Zachariah had foretold of the day when the streets of Jerusalem should be "full of boys and girls playing in the streets thereof." Can we doubt that He who took up little children in His arms and blessed them, has a place for them still in the City of God?

When the little life that has come to us is suddenly taken away, we wonder at the meaning of it all. If we have not, then, in our hearts the knowledge of the all wise Fatherhood of God. then are we of all men most miserable. It is as though for a moment they looked out upon the world through an open window, and saw only the beauty of human life, a world of laughter and sunshine and the singing of birds, and then the window closed before they knew anything of suffering and sorrow and sin.

Service to Him

And there are three Gates in the South,—the Gates for those in the midstream of life, with mellow experience of the world and its affairs to guide their feet, who have learnt the meaning and value of the things that really matter. The love of adventure may have died, but in its place has come the certainty born of profound conviction that in Him is all fullness of pardon and peace and power, in Him the source of all supply. Happy the man who finds Christ in the midst of our every day life, who knows Him not as a foreman going around the workshop to see that we are doing our jobs, but as a fellow worker standing by our side in the dust and the dirt and the grim grinding noise. The Gates on the South call not to adventure, but to a fresh consecration of our lives and service to Him Who has given us all things so richly to enjoy.

And what of those who are now well down the years of life, daily nearing the last great river we must cross each one? Surely the light at eventide—the light that flows from the Throne of God and of the Lamb,—the peace that passeth all understanding,—the sure and certain hope of resurrection to life eternal,—for there are three Gates on the West for them. So, it matters not whether we are old or young, rich or poor, there are three Gates in the City by which we may enter in. One password only is necessary. "Whosoever cometh unto Me I will in no wise cast out."

There's a wondrous golden Harbour, far beyond the setting sun,
Where a gallant ship may anchor, when her fighting days are done.
Free from battle, toil and tumult safely o'er,
Where the breezes murmur softly, and there's peace for evermore.
They have climbed the long horizon, they are standing in from sea,
And the pilot makes the harbour where a ship is glad to be.
Though you voyage all unspoken, small and lonely,
Or with fame the happy fortune of the few,
You may win the golden Harbour in the sunset.
Where your Master stands in welcome, waiting you."

So we may pass over, and into the City, and all the Trumpets of God shall sound for us on the other side.

Appointment at The Admiralty

Recalls the Interesting Career of Rear-Admiral Pridham-Wippell

Rear-Admiral H. D. Pridham-Wippell, who for the past two years has been Commodore of the Home Fleet destroyer flotillas, recently took over the duties of Director of Personal Services at the Admiralty. He succeeded Rear-Admiral G. Layton.

Rear-Admiral Pridham-Wippell who has been 38 years in the navy is 52. In October 1913, as a senior lieutenant, he joined the dreadnought Audacious which had just been completed at Birkenhead for her maiden commission, which was abruptly terminated by a war incident, which for a long time was kept secret from the enemy.

Whilst the Audacious was preparing for heavy gun practice with other ships of her squadron, a disaster occurred, she was third ship in the line, and as they altered course she struck something and started to sink. Although low in the water, she was able to proceed slowly under her own steam.

Blew Up

The White Star liner Olympic was then howeward bound, and picked up her S.O.S., and reached the scene four hours later. By fine seamanship, Capt. H. J. Haddock of the ss. Olympic, managed to get the stricken vessel in tow but the hawser parted. When the warship had to be abandoned he sent the liner's boats to rescue the crew. After a long struggle to save the Audacious, she blew up and sank.

In April 1918, Rear-Admiral Pridham-Pippell whilst on a night patrol in the Straits of Otranto came across five Austrian destroyers heavily attacking two British vessels. He promptly gave chase but the enemy turned tail and raced back to harbour.

When King George V. was very seriously ill in 1928, he was in command of H.M.S. Enterprise on the East Indies station, and was ordered to proceed at once to Dar-es-Salaam to embark the Prince of Wales, and in spite of bad weather he made a record dash at full speed to land his royal passenger at Brindisi. For this he was awarded the C.V.O.

SNAPSHOTS

Have you ever tried taking pictures "against the light"—that is, with sun or photo lights beyond the subject so that the shadows point toward you instead of away from you?

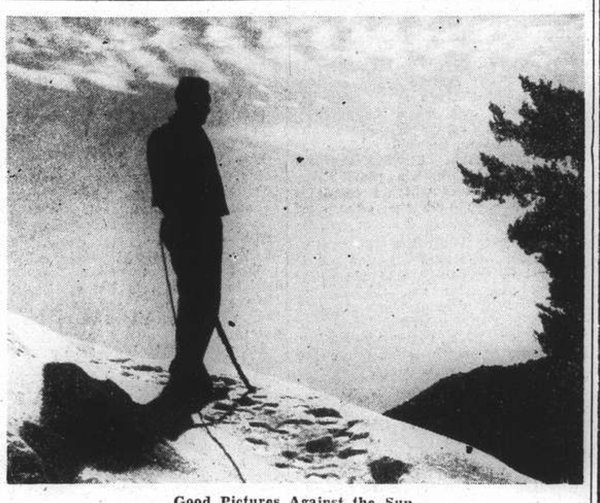
This lighting is a source of many interesting pictures. Striking silhouettes of trees and persons can be obtained. Sunlight, coming from above and slightly behind the subject in an informal portrait, gives appealing highlights on hair and shoulders. Numerous "different" effects are possible.

When you take such pictures, your lens must be shaded so direct rays of sunlight or artificial light do not strike it. An inexpensive lens hood or sun shade is very useful, and slips on easily. Indeed, it is an advantage to use such a shade for many pictures. It cuts out stray sidelights and reflections, gives brighter, "snappier" pictures.

Of course, when the sun is low in the sky—almost on a line with your lens, the hood may not help, but frequently you can find a position where the sun will be hidden behind a tree trunk. Then the shadow of the tree will serve to shade your lens.

In "against the light" pictures, where the light is intense, give the ordinary exposure if you want a silhouette effect. To get details in the shadow side, use an exposure two or three times as long.

For informal portrait studies, with the sun back of your subject, arrange a sheet of white cardboard or cloth so that it reflects light on the subject's face. And when the sky is the background of your picture, use a sky filter on the lens. This darkens the sky a bit and makes sunlit subjects stand out. It slips on the lens just as the sun shade does.



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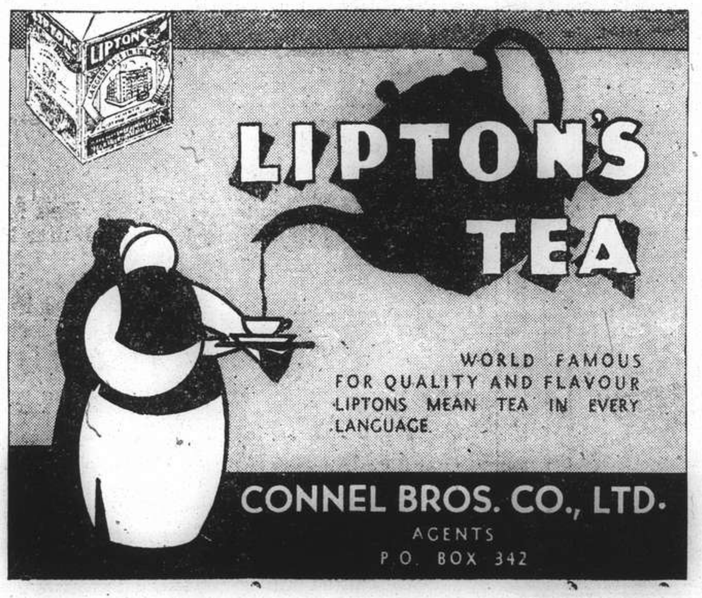

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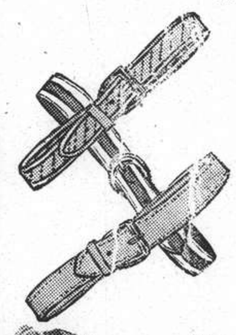

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Japanese Cruiser Programme

Great Britain Interested Inasmuch as Such Vessels Menace Merchant Marine

By Cmdr. Russell Grenfell

(In the "Evening Standard")

Is Japan building bigger battleships? That is a question on everyone's lips. Rumours and denials fly to and fro. But there is another question, hardly less important, which has attracted far less attention. Is Japan building bigger cruisers?

The diplomatic correspondent of the "Evening Standard" has suggested that the cruiser problem is causing not less concern to the Admiralty than the battleship problem.

What is the actual position? The Washington Naval Treaty of 1922 laid it down that no nation should build cruisers of more than 10,000 tons displacement, and although the Japanese gave notice a year ago that they would no longer be bound by this undertaking, they have not hitherto begun to build above the treaty limit.

If they should do so, what is our reply?

This problem is much more complicated than the battleship problem.

The battleship is designed with one main end in view—fighting other battleships.

The cruiser has not this soleness of purpose. It is a ship designed for many uses; for screening the battleships in a general engagement, for attacking enemy commerce, and for protecting our own commerce from the attacks of enemy raiders.

It does not follow that the biggest cruiser is the best suited for all these three purposes. Indeed, the evidence of the last war suggests that it is not.

Cruisers at Jutland

What happened, for instance, at Jutland, the principal general engagement in the last war?

At Jutland, we had both armoured and light cruisers in the scouting line. In theory, the former should have been able to do their work better than the smaller cruisers by being better able to smash their way through the enemy's scouts into a position for sighting and reporting the German battleships.

What happened in reality? Three big armoured cruisers, Defence, Warrior and Black Prince, were sunk without achieving anything. The really valuable piece of scouting was performed by Commodore Goodenough's 5,000-ton Southampton.

There was a more remarkable thing still. The small unarmoured light cruisers actually took more sinking than their armoured big brothers. At Jutland, the 15,000-ton Defence came under the fire of the German battle cruisers and blew up in two or three minutes. The German 4,900-ton Wiesbaden withstood the fire of the whole mighty Grand Fleet, and did not sink till many hours later.

Efficacy of Topedoes

One torpedo each was enough to sink the armoured Hogue, Cressy and Aboukir. The smaller unarmoured Nottingham and Falmouth required six and four torpedoes to put them down.

Out on the trade routes it was the same story.

When war broke out, the Germans had two armoured cruisers and half a dozen light cruisers in foreign stations.

The armoured cruisers, Scharnhorst and Gneisenau, of 11,000 tons each, after taking part in the Battle of Coronel, did nothing effective at all. The Emden (3,600 tons) sank 70,000 tons of merchant shipping in the Indian Ocean before she was run to earth in the Cocos Islands. The Karlsruhe (4,900 tons) sank about the same amount off the Brazilian coast.

The war did not throw much direct light on the relative merits of large and of small cruisers as convoy escorts, for it so happened that no convoy escorted by cruisers was in fact attacked by surface craft. They were not put to the test.

Competitive Building

Of course, this competitive cruiser-building is nothing new. We and the Germans went through the whole cycle before the war.

Our cruiser tonnage grew from the 5,000-ton Minerva class to 10,000 tons in the old County class, to 11,000 in the Devonshire class, to 13,500 in the Achilles class, and to 15,000 tons in the Minotaurs.

There was then a jump of over 2,000 tons, as armoured cruisers turned into battle-cruisers. Then these battle cruisers in turn began to get bigger, increasing rapidly from the 17,000 tons of the Indomitables to the 27,000 tons of the Queen Mary.

H. M. Vessels in Far East

If, then, despite this evidence from the last war, the Japanese Government does decide to build bigger cruisers, we are faced with the practical question, must we build them too?

British cruisers in the Far East would have two duties in case of a war with Japan—to attack Japanese merchant vessels and to defend British vessels from Japanese attack.

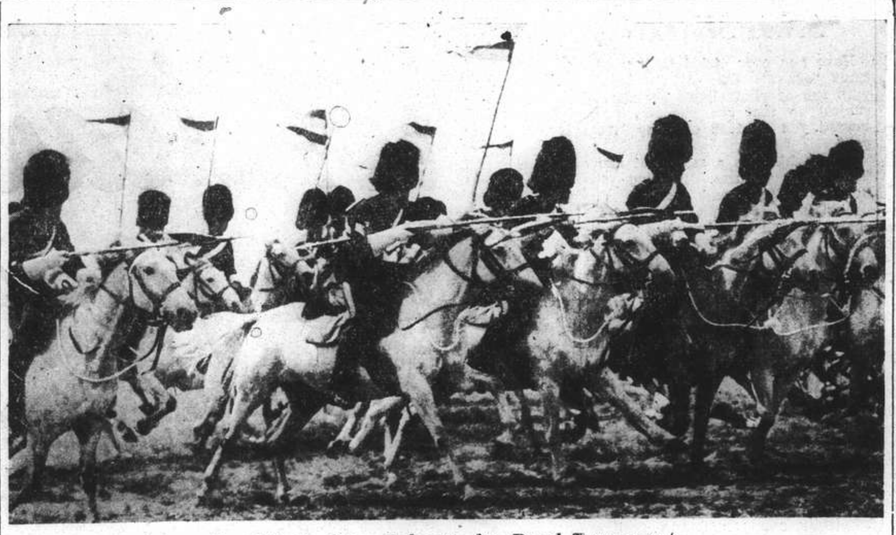
A force which attacks an escorted convoy must be a superior force if it is to succeed. Superiority can be achieved either by size or by numbers.

The lesson both of the old French wars and of the German attacks on our convoys in the North Sea is that it is numbers that count.

The Germans made three attempts on our convoy route. The one by battle-cruisers never came off. The one by two light cruisers was successful. The most successful was one by four destroyers.

For defence of trade, numbers are even more important. Cruiser escorts are required according to the volume of trade to be convoyed. Even if we were to build a few 13,000-ton cruisers to match the Japanese 12,000-tonners, it would be long odds against their being with the particular convoy that the 12,000 Japanese ships attacked. Extra numbers of smaller ships might well afford better protection.

Whatever the argument may be for countering bigger with still bigger battleships, I hope that the Admiralty will ponder hard and long before they commit themselves to the policy of size rather than numbers where cruisers are concerned.



Royal Scots Greys Rehearse for Royal Tournament

The Royal Scots Greys are in full-dress rehearsal for their Musical Ride item at Hounslow Barracks, preparing for the recent Royal tournament at Olympia. The picture shows them on the "charge."

The Future of Shanghai Viewed Politico-Economically

Investment and Enterprise Dependent on Internal Disposition of Forces and Introduction of Capital

By Arthur Sopher

Every form of investment and enterprise in Shanghai is dependent, for its success of failure, upon the future of this city. It would be readily seen, therefore, that it is of vital interest to every businessman to sound out and gauge what lies ahead. Should such reasoned and forward visioning show the way to be dark or reveal it to be bright, it could prove nothing but beneficial in either case to be apprised of it. If the road leads to an impassable barrier, ignorance of it is a blissful evil. If, on the other hand, the track brings us to the promised land, then great-heartedly we should take our present punishment.

It is the first function of management to form a policy, and so each of us who has roots in this unique metropolis must needs, more than ever before, now when everything seems to be tumbling about our ears, sense the true direction.

Whither Shanghai? No one can know this of a certainty, but it is possible to gauge, with more than mere speculation and guesswork, what is to be. The worst of chaotic conditions must resolve themselves finally into orderly courses. As to when that is to occur—the time element—it is also of prime importance.

Shanghai's Future Function

Now, the question whether Shanghai has a great future or not depends simply on whether this city has a function or service to perform in the affairs of the world, specially in this hemisphere.

Originating as one of several points of contact between foreigners and Chinese, Shanghai has grown, on the merit of its sheer usefulness, to a place of leading importance.

Time and again, the force of political movements seemed to divert some of the cumulative strength of Shanghai to other locales, as recently instanced in the sudden rise of Nanking under the ægis of the Kuomintang. In the past, China's centre-city—the three-in-one of Hankow-Wuchang-Hanyang or the Wuhan—throbbed as the economic, riverine heart of China, pounding its life-giving force in all directions; by waterway along the Great River, west and east, and by land, viâ caravan route, continentally north and south.

Until one quarter of a century ago, the Dragon-Throned city, with its Imperial blue and yellow splendour, of traditional Peking and its sister emporium of Tientsin, shed radiance all over the celestial Empire. In the south, Canton, the first trading contact point, had reached the meridian of its economic glory in the past century, to be later eclipsed by the British colonial entrepot and fortress of Hongkong.

"Continual Upwardness"

Slowly swaying between the focal points of economics and politics and back again from politics to economics, at one time or another, this or that city had its day and declined. But in the case of Shanghai there has been, with comparatively brief set-backs, one line of continual upwardness. The reader may want to interpolate here, "Yes, until the present moment." What is his "moment," and the nature of it, is thus of much significance.

Before touching upon this vital aspect, it is of essenial value to understand the why and the wherefore of Shanghai's surviving potency and ever-spreading foliation.

To get at a clear conception of the primal element—the *elan vital*—of its success-giving quality, let the reader but envisage, with full realization, the high import of the following fact:

In the history of the world, of comparatively modern times, there is one new nation that has shown phenomenal growth and developed prodigious power. That nation, despite some serious shortcomings, has not ceased to rise in its colossal stature. It is the United States of America. This association of peoples has achieved one thing more amazing than its glamorously material magnificence, in that, 48 different geographical groupings or States were able to keep the peace as between themselves for some seven decades, and, as now welded and constituted, there is but remote possibility of their waging internecine war. They have had in the past, and still have in the present, serious internal unrest, but, however grave, this is not permitted to be brought to the breaking point of open hostility and armed conflict. Unlike the Continent of Europe, from where the American people is ethnically derived, these 48 political entities, manage to get along with one another and at no pitch of disagreement flare-up into violent clash.

Similarly, the great Powers, that have met in the Orient and China and ranged about Shanghai, have co-existed, here in this city at least, without resorting to arms one against the other.

Formerly an Undivided City

Up till now, Shanghai has lived as a house undivided and withstood the buffetings of outer circumstance, and, in the simple words of one of the most precious pieces of writing in the world, "the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was founded upon a rock."

The supreme and unique quality of it all was that marvellous co-operation of diverse nations each bringing in its quota of wisdom and virtue and skill, and cancelling out each other's errors, weaknesses and sins, summed up into a politico-economic usefulness unparalleled in eastern Asia.

On the stability and temper of this extraordinary co-operation much of Shanghai's future depends. In this co-operation, Imperial Britain, master of onefourth of the earth's choice places, played, without ostentation, the major role. In that sense it was a Pax Britannica, with its supreme administrative skill, fetched from a wealth of experience.

Fifth Port of the World

The French and other European nations, and the Americans, supplemented the master and main work of Great Britain here at Shanghai and this brought the one city of China to highest consummation, to formost place and to the rank of the fourth or fifth port of the world.

That much for Shanghai's internal set-up which was ideal, and in no place of the globe so well mixed. Geographically, in her natural situation, the port is the gateway of a 3,000-mile-long artery running midway across the whole width, from west to east, dividing a continental terrain into north and south halves. Its basin and drainage—the area served—contains half of China's population. It is, as it were, a downward moving escalator supplied with inherent and perennial motive force and never in need of repairs, providing thus the most economical means of transportation.

With the above-described internal human equipment and the natural physical endowments, Shanghai can have no peer.

Now the natural environment will remain all-enduring, but the internal disposition of forces is subject to variation and much change. Here, one comes to that "moment" referred to above, which is before us and which is undoubtedly the most serious development in its entire 90-years-old history.

Previous Work Eclipsed

A newly-arisen and most speedily-grown Oriental Power eclipses for the instant the work here of all the rest. With a volcanic spirit of independence, this Far Eastern people takes upon itself to decide the destiny of vast and age-old China. Time only can prove how much of this task of large dimensions may be accomplished. If Japan is capable of achieving such a thing in its entirety single-handed, then the Shanghai, as it was constituted in the past, will totter to the ground, and something entirely new will fill its place.

It is this very possibility—remote or otherwise—that is roundly to be judged and which is of paramount concern to all of us, Chinese and foreigner alike. The forming of a considered opinion to a definite conclusion shall serve as guide to that policy first-mentioned on which is to be cast the businessman's future lot here.

The question of questions then for us is how much of central China will come under the domination of Japan? In the opinion of the best authorities it is quite impracticable for the Island-Empire to maintain a firm administrative grip over the entire land, after even the military defeat and "conquest" of China. Japan's leaders, themselves, have as their real China objective the exploitation of economic possibilities, the attainment of which necessitates in their eyes first the effacement of the Kuomintang Government.

Granted that all the authorities are wrong and that Japan alone is right and supposing that after her military victories she achieves an all-embracing control, there are certain bold realities which Japan will sooner or later come up against, and fronting which, is for her either destruction or adjustment.

Much Capital Required

The development of China, it is plain for anyone to see, cannot be effected without stupendous sums of capital, which only the world as a whole possesses. It is not in Japan's ken to attempt handling the work with her now much-depleted and fast-attenuating resources.

Now, capital cannot be got without implicit confidence, which means simply:—"We trust you and we can work together, the utmost security would have to first exist. The policy of Japan's military leadership must "suffer a sea-change" before it can command such unquestioning faith and trust. It must metamorphose the principles of military Japan to the ethics and morals of mankind.

The great empires of the past, and the British in particular, did conform in this regard before they could make their conquests permanent. It is difficult to get and harder still to keep. In this connection, Japan is not so hopelessly weak as some authorities think her to be, as the undermining forces of decadence with its attendant corruption has had China, until the present, in its unshakeable grip. China's own moral weakness has been the obverst to Japan's strength.

Then there is the overshadowing factor of the Powers' own shortcomings—their disunity and incapacity to keep lasting peace abroad. All these together—China's failings and those of the Powers—plus Japan's own undeniable virtues and

From a Clubman's Chair

Royalty Chooses the Menu ; Telephone Shy Celebrities ; Why Shaw Play Was Shelved

By Charles Martin

Several menus were submitted to the King and Queen for approval before their lunch at the opening of the Glasgow Exhibition was finally selected. They chose caviare, Scotch salmon, lamb, asparagus and an ice and fruit hot soufflé, a dessert of which the Queen is specially fond. Giordano, in charge of the catering, gave personal attention to the meal and produced a triumph of culinary art.

Their Majesties had an excellent view of the Exhibition as they lunched. The Atlantic Restaurant, built like the prow of a ship, is half way up Bellahouston Hill. The windows through which the King and Queen looked resembled vast portholes.

Ringing up the King

In the London Telephone Directory several names appear without any numbers. The information is withheld from the public at the request of the subscribers who dislike the idea of anyone being able to ring them up at odd moments.

Those who are afflicted by telephone shyness include the County Courts, the Football Association, the Rugby Union, the Tate Gallery and Tattersalls. Reaching for the telephone directory will not help the aspirant for screen fame who wants to get in touch with Mr. Alexander Korda. The famous film director's hatred of the casual ringer-up is shared by Owen Nares, though most of the well-known actors and actresses with addresses in London have no objection to the publication of their telephone numbers.

The Royal Family are not reticent in this matter of telephone numbers, all of which appear in the directory. Their homes are easily accessible by telephone, but to speak to Royalty is not so easy. The caller will not be put through unless he can give the code word, and this is changed every week at Buckingham Palace.

Shaw's Next Play

Londoners are wondering if they are to be favoured with the world première of the next Bernard Shaw play. The last two plays—"The Simpleton of the Unexpected Isles" and "The Millionairess"—were first performed on the Continent. "Geneva," as the latest Shavian contribution to contemporary thought is called, is now approaching completion. If London is again passed over the play will probably be produced in Switzerland.

Just as characters who were thinly disguised English politicians appeared in "Back to Methuselah," so Stalin, Hitler, Mussolini and other leading statesmen will be recognized in some of the characters in "Geneva."

Those who write books or plays on current world topics run the risk of producing a work that is out-of-date almost before the ink on their last page is dry, so swiftly and suddenly do events move. This has happened recently to writers of books on Spain and Austria. It nearly happened to G.B.S. "Geneva," which deals, as is not difficult to guess, with the League of Nations, originally contained scenes which became stale before they were finished and had to be scrapped. So the play was shelved, until now.

The world-wide publicity attending the arrival of the Australian cricket tourists in the home country, and the exhaustiveness with which their day-to-day experiences are recorded, would have shocked and alarmed many people in eighteenth century England.

One writer, in a magazine published in 1743, declared that "the diversion of cricket may be proper in holiday time and in the country, but upon days when men ought to be busy, and in the neighbourhood of a great city, it is mischievous in the highest degree. It propagates a spirit of idleness at a juncture when our debts, taxes and decay of trade will scarcely allow many to get bread. It gives the most open encouragement to gaming."

The reference to gaming is interesting in view of the recent proposal to organize pools on cricket similar to those operating in the football world.

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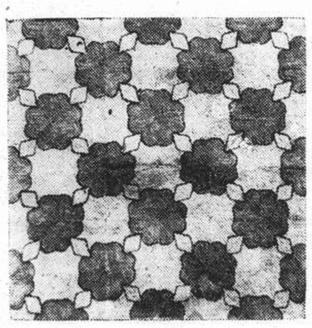

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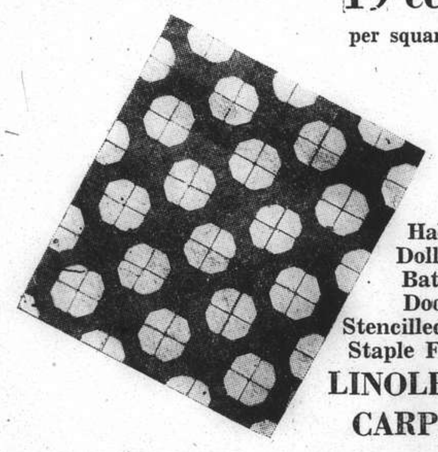

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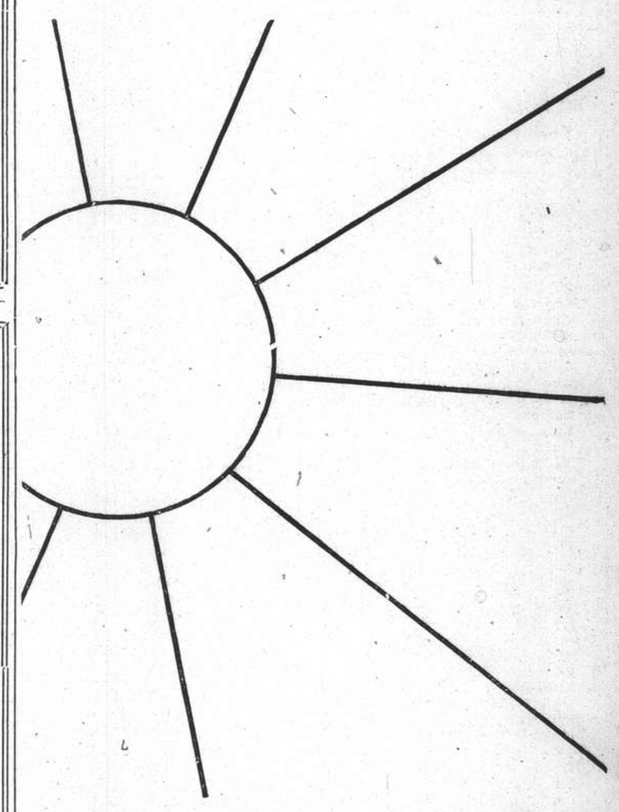

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FROM SHANGHAI FOOTLIGHTS AND FILMS

"Women Are Like That"

The Cathay Theatre announces the screening very shortly of this sophisticated comedy-romance, in which Kay Francis and Pat O'Brien have the featured roles.

"Marie Walewska"

Two of the recognized stars of filmdom, Greta Garbo and Charles Boyer, make of this coming film at the Nanking one of the smartest productions of the 1937-38 season.

"Non-Stop New York"

Only one or two British films that have preceded this one—now at the Cathay—have made a more general appeal to the Shanghai public. Anna Lee is the starred "femme" player.

"She Married an Artist"

With a Bohemian atmosphere, this smart comedy, starring John Boles and Luli Deste is listed among the coming Metropol pictures—in support are Frances Drake and Helen Westley.

Current Films

NANKING and METROPOL.—"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs."—Walt Disney's first feature-length animated production is a wonder-feast of thrills, fun and romantic drama, with equal appeal for juveniles and grownups. Everybody has read Grimm's folk tales, in whose fascinating pages "Snow White" and her little dwarf pals are born. There's a never-to-be-forgotten treat awaiting fans in its marvellously appealing film version presented in full technicolour.

GRAND.—"Sally, Irene and Mary."—Stars enough, laughs, tunes and gags enough for any six ordinary musicales, plus a screenful of romance and that extra zing and sparkle that always distinguish a Daryl Zanuck super-musicale. The cast includes Alice Faye, Tony Martin, Jimmy Durante, Gregory Ratoff, Joan Davis, Marjorie Weaver, Louise Hovick, J. Edward Bromberg and Fred Allen.

CATHAY.—"Non-Stop New York."—A swiftly paced tale of love and villainy 10,000 feet in air, that is packed with more hair-raising thrills than any picture that has come to Shanghai for months. With Anna Lee, John Loder, Desmond Tester, Frank Cellier and Francis Sullivan.

RIALTO.—"Captains Courageous."—Rudyard Kipling's famed tale of Gloucester fishermen and the boy whom they regenerated through ideals of courage and humanity. An impressive cast is headed by Freddie Bartholomew, Spencer Tracy, Lionel Barrymore and Melvyn Douglas.

CAPITOL.—"Ali Baba Goes to Town."—Eddie Cantor in his latest crazy comedy, supported by a large cast of comedians and players, including Tony Martin, Roland Young and Louise Hovick. Last day.

PARIS.—"The Road Back."—With John King, Richard Cromwell, Slim Summerville, Andy Devine and Louise Fazenda.

Films Coming

"The Buccaneer."—The flaming romance of Jean Lafitte, America's most amazing hero and rogue. Scene after scene of awe-inspiring grandeur and roaring action by that master producer of epics, Cecil B. deMille. Heading a cast of thousands are Fredric March, Francisca Gaal, Akim Tamiroff, Margot Grahame, Walter Brennan, Ian Heath, Douglas Dumbrille and Beulah Bondi. Coming on Wednesday to the **GRAND.**

"Women Are Like That."—Starting off with a wedding where the best man gets the bride and the bridegroom gets the air, Kay's latest comedy romance provides the glamorous star with one of her best roles to date. There's a grand cast headed by Kay Francis, Pat O'Brien, Ralph Forbes, Melville Cooper, Thurston Hall, Grant Mitchell and Herbert Rawlinson. Coming on Wednesday to the **CATHAY.**

"The Bad Man of Brimstone."—Mirroring civilization's march on America's savage last frontier, this epic has romance of the old West, Wallace Beery as "Trigger" Bill. The cast includes Virginia Bruce, Dennis O'Keefe, Lewis Stone, Bruce Cabot, Guinn Williams, Noah Beery, Joseph Calleia, Guy Kibbee and Cliff Edwards. Coming soon to the **NANKING.**

"She Married An Artist."—John Boles and Luli Deste are co-starred in this gay story of an artist, his wife and his favourite model. The supporting cast includes Frances Drake, Helen Westley and Alexander D'Arcey. A **METROPOL** booking.

"Gold is Where You Find it."—A beautiful technicolour production—with George Brent, Olivia de Havilland, Claude Rains and Margaret Lindsay. Coming to the **PARIS.**

"Blossoms on Broadway."—A rodeo of romance and giddy gaiety hits New York's Great White Way when a merry game of cheating cheaters bubbles over with laughs, love and songhits. With Edward Arnold, Shirley Ross, John Trent, Rufe Davis, Weber and Fields. Coming to the **CATHAY.**

"Werewolf of London."—A spine-chilling story described as the greatest horror picture screened is based on the legend of the werewolf, a creature half-man and half-wolf which becomes a man-killing beast each month during the full of the moon. The cast includes Henry Hull, Warner Oland and Valerie Hobson. Coming to the **METROPOL.**

"The Beloved Brat."—A picture that every child should make its parents see. The entrancing tale of a little devil who stuck at nothing, until a wise young lady diagnosed her case and found the right way to treat it. With Bonita Granville, Dolores Costello, Donald Crisp, Natalie Moorhead, Donald Briggs and Lucille Gleason. Coming soon to the **CATHAY.**

"A Daughter of Shanghai."—The story of a beautiful Chinese girl who knew too much to be permitted to live—a girl who knew the inner workings of the world's most inhuman racket, the smuggling of aliens into the United States. With a big cast, headed by Anna May Wong, Philip Ahn, Charles Bickford, Larry Crabbe, Cecil Cunningham and Evelyn Brent. Coming to the **GRAND.**

To Dine and Dance

ARCADIA.—Dining and dancing, Russian cuisine. Kniazeff's ballet.

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"Come and Get it."—Edward Arnold is starred in this powerful drama, supported by Joel McCrea, Frances Farmer and Walter Brennan. Next at the **PARIS.**

"Radio City Revels."—Love and laughter, with musical trimmings and spiced with novelty, features this new screen product. A notable cast is headed by Bob Burns, Jack Oakie, Kenny Baker, Victor Moore, Helen Broderick, Ann Miller and Milton Berle. Soon at the **METROPOL.**

"Dinner at the Ritz."—With Annabella, Paul Lukas, David Niven and Romney Brent, supported by large cast of British players. Tomorrow at the **CAPITOL.**

"The Adventures of Tom Sawyer."—Mark Twain's immortal classic brilliantly produced in technicolour, bringing to the screen the newest juvenile sensation, Tommy Kelly. The cast includes Jackie Moran, as Huckleberry Finn, May Robson, Walter Brennan, Victor Jory and Croa Sue Collins. Coming to the **NANKING.**

"The Life of the Party."—New song-and-dance comedy uniting Harriet Hilliard and Gene Raymond for the first time as singing sweethearts involved in hilarious romantic complications fostered by Joe Penner, Parkyakarkus, Victor Moore and Helen Broderick. A **METROPOL** booking.

"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs"

With the acclaim of the Shanghai cinema public augmenting that of the world, it requires little imagination to ascertain why the Nanking and Metropol Theatres are so popular today.

An Animated Charlie McCarthy

A gruesome item crept into the news recently when word leaked out that Charlie McCarthy's head had been amputated and affixed to a new chassis. Charlie has been paralyzed from his neck down since his birth some years ago in a Chicago cabinet shop, and since he embarked upon his film career Hollywood has attempted to convince Edgar Bergen, his mentor, that his screen life would be prolonged by rehabilitated arms and legs equipped with hinges.

Bergen has been using the dummy in Universal's "My Letter of Introduction" and it was felt that additional animation would befit his impudence. Elbows, shoulders, wrists, hips, knee and ankle joints have been added and they will be controlled by wires just as Bergen moves Charlie's mouth. Charlie's new plans were drawn by Universal technicians and the construction job, which cost Bergen $250—many times the sum paid for the original dummy—was done in the studio carpenter shop.

"We're Going to be Rich"

"We're Going To Be Rich" introduces a new and rather serious Gracie Fields in a new type of Fields' picture, writes C. A. Legeune in the "Sunday Observer." It is a period piece of the braid and bustle era, beginning in Australia and ending in Johannesburg, and presenting Gracie as the hard-working wife of a blustering prize-fighter, who always fancies he is going to strike it rich, but doesn't.

So far as Miss Fields herself is concerned, it is an unqualified success. Playing straight for once, without kickshaws, singing funny things like "Walter" out of a sheer hard need for pennies, she gives us something nearer her own flesh-and-blood genius that the screen has so far offered. Her "Sweetest Song of All" number, done in a gold-town "boozer," for "£25 a week and throw-money," is the sort of thing that justifies one's faith in the virtues of the sound-track.

Two leading men, Victor McLaglen and Brian Donlevy, were brought all the way from Hollywood to play opposite Gracie. I'm sure I hope they feel their work was worth it. Personally, I could have done with a little bit more of Mr. Donlevy and very much less of Mr. McLaglen, who hardly excels here in the subtler nuances, and whose torso has been pretty well discovered by now.

Pavillion Facilities

Facilities for indoor and outdoor dining and dancing are offered at the Pavillion, opposite Jessfield Park, which today will hold a tea dance. There is no admission fee for the tea dance and music will be furnished by Nina Kellan's American band. Jimmy James, proprietor and general manager of the establishment, has installed a number of outdoor games, which with the excellent wee golf course provides opportunities for healthful exercise. On week days a concert is held every day from 4.30 o'clock. The fascinating yet simple game of "Bingo" starts daily at 5 p.m. On Sundays only Jimmy serves his tasty barbecued chicken dinners.

"Katja the Dancer"

Including tonight's performance of "Katja the Dancer" in the Lyceum, the Russian Light Opera will have presented 60 shows this season to the Shanghai music loving public. It also will be noted that this is the last of the year. Rosen and Bitner, producers for the past five years, have nearly 275 shows to their credit and it is fitting that the company during the past month have recognized this fact by tendering each of them a gala performance. During the past season, with the association of Valin and Orlovskaya, the company, in spite of the hostilities, has enjoyed remarkable success and, in closing their season, the best wishes of their legion of admirers surely must be extended to them.

Anna Neagle's Picture Programme

The Regal "Sixty Glorious Years" to be Made

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

London, May 9.

Miss Anna Neagle is one of the rocks of the British film industry. She and Jessie Matthews are about the only two English actresses who have made solid successes in native studios. Miss Neagle has specialized in impersonations and her portrait gallery is becoming quite a long one. Although she has a very decided personality, her producers seem to act on the assumption of her infinite variety.

After she had finished "Victoria the Great," the news came that her next impersonation would be Lady Hamilton in a romantic association with an equally romantic Horatio Nelson. But her Queen Victoria was such a success that Mr. Herbert Wilcox decided that she must go on in her regal career. So "Sixty Glorious Years" was planned.

The story of Queen Victoria was to be approached from another angle; Anton Walbrook was to be Prince Consort again and we were to have impersonations of Dickens and Tennyson, presumably to take the place of the politician-novelist, Benjamin Disraeli.

Mr. Aubrey Smith is to play the part of the Duke of Wellington, a part into which he will enter with complete enjoyment. Aubrey Smith's visit to England is specially welcome to him just now as he will be able to enjoy watching a large quantity of first-class cricket including the Test Matches between England and Australia. He has been an all-England and county captain and even now, well on in his seventies, he coaches the more athletic Hollywood actors at the crease.

Lady Hamilton Postponed

Even after "Sixty Glorious Years" has been made, the Hamilton-Nelson film will still be in the background. For the latest choice for Miss Neagle's next production is an impersonation of Marie Lloyd. No doubt this was suggested by her vivacious successes as Nell Gwynn and Peg Woffington. But the presentation of Marie Lloyd to audiences of whom many must actually have seen the great music-hall comedienne will present difficulties not experienced with Mistress Gwynn and Mistress Woffington.

No doubt the two earlier ladies had genius and knew how to set a house in a roar, but no one really knows much about their style or stage appearance. It is true that Myrna Loy recently enacted Billie Burke who is still alive and Luise Rainer represented Anna Held. They were not a bit their originals, but nobody seemed to mind.

It may be that cinema audiences will be equally indifferent when Miss Neagle does not look or sing like Marie Lloyd. But it must be borne in mind that "Our Marie" is still held very warmly in the hearts of an English multitude.

South Sea Undress Problem

Gainsborough is to start a film in technicolour this year. It will be "The Blue Lagoon," an adaptation of the H. de Vere Stacpoole novel about love in the South Seas.

Up till now British producers, with the exception of Korda and Wilcox, have been chary of colour. This film will be the first sign that Gaumont-British recognizes its potentialities.

"We are set to go on The Blue Lagoon now," Edward Black, the Gainsborough producer, said, "but we shall wait until Christmas, and then go on location in Jamaica or the Bermudas.

"I think it is the ideal film story Adam and Eve over again. Margaret Lockwood will be the girl and Michael Redgrave, now making his first film will be the boy. Elisabeth Bergner and Gracie Fields both wanted him for pictures, but we have him booked up.

"Will Fyffe will be the Irish sailor Paddy Button, who brings up the ship-wrecked children until he finds a keg of rum and dies of drink."

The open-air innocence of the story calls for Miss Lockwood to wear a sarong most of the time, and in one sequence to run completely nude along a beach.

"Sally, Irene and Mary"

Here are three reasons why the current programme at the Grand Theatre is so popular. Other bright talent supports these beauties.

R.L.S.'s "Kidnapped"

Twentieth Century-Fox has made certain concessions to Robert Louis Stevenson and is re-shooting the ending of "Kidnapped" so that the film will be in somewhat closer line with the original. In the first version David Balfour, having won his inheritance from his wicked uncle, abandoned it and sailed into the sunset with Alan Breck and a cinematic wraith, Jeanie MacPherson, portrayed by Arleen Whelan, the studio's latest discovery. The retakes leave him in Scotland to enjoy his inheritance and make possible Stevenson's sequel, "David Balfour." Most of the history remains in the Fox manner, although a number of sequences have been added of factual import dealing with the Jacobite troubles.

Special Number Dances

Entertainment will be a pleasing feature of the tea dance at the Paramount Ballroom today. The management states that two of the best known artistes in Shanghai will present the floor show. Tomorrow night and again on Thursday night the Paramount will hold special Number Dances, with the opportunity for patrons to win numerous valuable merchandise prizes. The regular Paramount orchestra—Gloria Andico's Rhythm Boys—plays at the tea dance today.

The Casanova Ballroom has a new manager, a new orchestra, a new floor show and a new air-conditioning system, the latter described as modern and highly efficient. The new manager is Mr. Saul Greenberg. Music is now provided by Apollo's Gauchos, eleven men, with instrumentation including two accordeons two violins and the electric steel guitar.

Korda's New Films Without Stars

Mr. Alexander Korda, head of London Films, arrived in London recently from New York and announced, according to the "Evening Standard," that:

Ernst Lubitsch, the famous Hollywood director, will probably come to Denham to make a film.

Mr. Alfred Lunt and Miss Lynne Fontanne, celebrated American actors, who travelled with Mr. Korda, may also make a film at Denham.

Mr. Irving Asher, former head of British production for Warner Brothers, may join London Films as associate producer.

"We shall be in full swing at Denham soon" said Mr. Korda, "The first film will be 'Prison Without Bars,' a drama of a girls' reform school. I may get Paulette Goddard across from America to play one of the parts in it.

"'Then there will be 'Four Feathers,' will Laurence Olivier, Barry K. Barnes and Roger Livesey. This will be in colour. So will the next Sabu film, 'Calcutta.'

"I am also going ahead with 'Lawrence of Arabia.' We are going to make several films in French in order to extend our market."

Mr. Korda has turned against the stars.

"Only a few stars—you could count them on the fingers of one hand—justify the salary they receive," he said. "In future I am going to concentrate on good actors and good writers and not bother about stars."

Midgets in Pictures

A wise-crack by a grip (scene-shifter) on the set of a small independent company provided an idea which is to blossom out as a feature picture. The grip commented that the way the producer was cutting corners on his limited budget effort, he would have been better off using midgets for his players. The remark was relayed to Jed Buell of Associated Features, who recently made the Negro Western, "Harlem on the Prairie."

Buell put writers to work on "The Terror of Tiny Town," and began assembling a cast of midgets and small animals. The hero will be a dashing, two-gun, four-foot buckaroo who will combat the dastardly work of a band of cattle-rustlers, all of whom stand less than four feet in their boots.

Buell and his associate, Abe Meyer, have engaged all the midgets who are Guild members, including Little Billy, who will be the heavy and who has been seen in many pictures with his huge cigar. Eighteen who are with a carnival troupe in the Hawaiian Islands are en route to Hollywood and individual vaudeville acts in New York, Chicago, Boston and Atlanta have been signed, with two Cockney midgets from London.

All of the small novelty animals round Hollywood have been hired, including a herd of Shetland ponies, a 33-inch bull, a 30-inch burro, a midget penguin and some undersized goats and deer. The story by Fred Myton will follow the accepted Western formula, although it will poke fun at such stalwarts as Tom Mix and Buck Jones.

Preston Foster, has obtained his release from RKO, has gone over to Universal under a contract which has three years to run and calls for four pictures a year. It is believed he will be used chiefly for the character of Detective Crane in Jonathan Latimer's stories. He has already appeared in "The Westland Case" and his next will be "The Lady in the Morgue."

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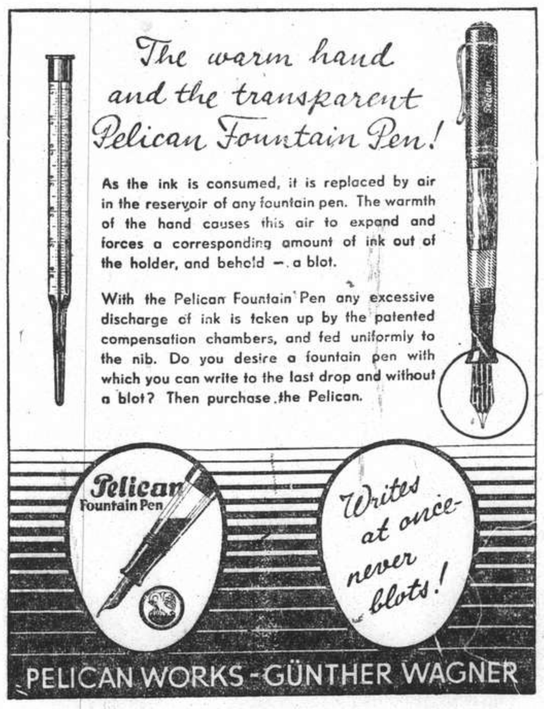

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DEATHS

BLOW.—On Wednesday, June 1, 1938, at the Shanghai General Hospital, Miss ANNIE BLOW, aged 67 years, the dearly-beloved aunt of Miss Aileen and Mr. Harry Parsons. Removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. Requiem Mass will be held to-morrow, Monday, June 6, at the Church of Christ The King, 235 Rue Bourgeat, at 8 a.m., to be followed by interment at the Bubbling Well Cemetery at 5 p.m. 15101

TEWKSBURY.—On Thursday, June 2, at midnight, GRACE HOLBROOK, aged 73 years, beloved wife of Rev. Elwood G. Tewksbury, Secretary of the China Sunday School Union, entered into her Heavenly Rest. The funeral service will be held at Bubbling Well Chapel to-day, Monday, June 6, at 2 p.m. followed by interment in Bubbling Well Cemetery. We feel it would be the wish of Mrs. Tewksbury that instead of floral remembrances, friends might send to Mr. Tewksbury, 154 Tifeng Road, contributions towards a fund for distributing the "Bread of Life" to war refugees.

LEITAO.—On Saturday, June 4, 1938, at St. Marie's Hospital, Shanghai, LEILA MARIA LEITAO, aged 11 years, the dearly-beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Leitao. Removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. Requiem Mass will be held to-morrow, Monday, June 6, at the Church of Christ The King, 235 Rue Bourgeat, at 7 a.m., to be followed by interment at the Bubbling Well Cemetery at 6 p.m. (Hongkong and Macao papers please copy.)

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AMERICA AND BRITAIN

BY SMITHSONIAN

An appreciable change has taken place during the past few months in the way in which the American public assesses the character of the British Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain. His policies are looked upon with far more favour and his objectives are better understood. He started with little in his favour as far as the American public was concerned.

During the time he acted as Chancellor of the Exchequer he was associated with the failure to pay war debts and some entirely justified, if not particularly diplomatic, comments made by him on the mentality of the Middle West with regard to international problems in general and the war debts in particular rankled, and were continually being recalled.

Then on top of this came the Cabinet split over foreign policy with Mr. Eden, who (being young, handsome and idealistic) had become a personality who was popular, even if the precise points in which he differed from the Prime Minister were little understood.

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But Mr. Chamberlain has now lived down this early attitude of indifference and, at times, hostility. The reason for the change could be summed up in a sentence. He appears to be making an attempt to give conscious guidance to events towards a well-defined goal instead of letting matters drift. The Anglo-Italian agreement, followed by the Anglo-Irish and the Anglo-French agreements in quick succession, made a deep impression in the United States.

Action had taken the place of inaction. Something was being done to prevent the drift in Europe towards two hostile camps. The Administration began to appreciate the worth of the Chamberlain policy before the general public, and the President broke all precedent by publicly endorsing the Anglo-Italian agreement in a formal statement.

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Since the days of George Washington, who warned his countrymen that Europe had a set of primary interests which "to us have none or a very remote interest" the United States Government has taken particular care not to take any part in Europe's political affairs.

The President, therefore, prefaced his remarks with a restatement of this traditional position. The United States Government, he said, "Does not attempt to pass on the political features of accords such as that recently reached between Britain and Italy."

Having made this reservation the President then went as far as was politically possible in approving Mr. Chamberlain's policy. "This Government has seen the conclusion of an agreement with sympathetic interest because it is proof of the value of peaceful negotiations."

The importance of the President's statement was immediately recognized. It was praised by many, criticized by some. It appears to have caused consternation in English opposition circles who had been basing much of their case against the Government on the assumption that it had "alienated" American public opinion and embarrassed the American Government by its attempts to come to terms with the authoritarian states.

Yet here was the head of the American Government saying that these verbally castigated negotiations had proved the value of peaceful negotiations. In a debate on the Italian agreement Mr. Herbert Morrison suggested that the Prime Minister should not quote the remarks of President Roosevelt with such unction for they were merely a routine gesture such as one government often makes to another. American opinion does not bear out Mr. Morrison's contention. Nobody has considered the remarks routine and many exercised their ingenuity in suggesting reasons why they had been made.

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One suggestion was that Mr. Roosevelt had become irritated at the way in which the British Opposition parties had used him as a stick to beat the Government. Members of these parties had called upon him at the White House and had been listened to with courteous attention and then had given the impression that the President had agreed with the position they had outlined. The opposition press also had over-reached itself in outlining what purported to be the President's hostile reaction to the policy of the British Government.

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Another suggestion was that some species of intrigue had taken place between the British Government and a section of the permanent staff in the State Department. A letter, ran one version of the story, had been written personally by Mr. Chamberlain to Mr. Sumner Welles, Under-Secretary of State, asking him to persuade the President to issue the statement. This tale was repeated in such a widespread fashion that the permanent officials of the Department finally had to take note of it and deny it categorically.

On its face it was absurd to anyone who knew the President. He is the very last man to have his opinions formed for him by others and a suggestion from abroad that he should adopt a certain line of action would immediately have been repudiated and resented.

It is quite possible that the Foreign Minister, Lord Halifax, sent a personal memorandum to his American colleague outlining more frankly his objectives than would be possible in a public statement. But there is nothing very unusual about that.

The simplest explanation is probably the true one, namely that the President felt that the Chamberlain policy was the only possible one to follow if war was to be averted and wished to give it what encouragement he could.

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There have always been two schools of thought on foreign policy within the ranks of the Administration. One group took the position that the United States had no concern with the internal form of government which a country chose to adopt. Its sole concern was with its external policy. It repudiated the idea that the United States should act upon the assumption that between democracies and dictatorships there was a great gulf fixed.

A country ruled by a dictator could be just as much a "good neighbour" as a country which was a democracy. The efforts of the democracies should therefore be devoted to cultivating friendly relations with the dictatorship nations instead of making them feel that whatever course they took would be opposed.

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The other school took the position that unless a country had a democratic form of government the world would never be safe from aggressive action. The only proper course for the democracies to take therefore was for them to encourage and support democracy everywhere and do whatever was possible short of war to discourage the dictatorships.

To the argument that, this would line the world into two hostile camps and lead inevitably to armed conflict. Their reply was that if the dictators were determined upon fighting the sooner war broke out the better since delay only strengthened their relative position. On the other hand if the dictators were not prepared to fight a resolute stand by the democratic nations would call their bluff and lead to their progressive decline.

The President has sometimes appeared to be convinced by the arguments of one school, sometimes by the arguments of the other. He has denounced dictatorships because they were dictatorships and proposed that they should be quarantined. At the same time, particularly when speaking of South American countries he has praised the doctrine of non-interference" in the internal affairs of other countries and upheld their right to adopt whatever form of government they might choose.

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His commendation of the Anglo-Italian agreement appears to have placed him in the ranks of the first school which believes that democracies and dictatorships can live together amicably and that the contrary doctrine of inveterate hostility will only lead to war.

The chief stumbling block in the way of reconciliation with the democratic countries is the non-recognition doctrine, specially as applied to Ethiopia. There are many people, both right wing and left wing, who oppose the doctrine. They point out that both Britain and the United States would be embarrassed if it were to be applied retroactively and that there was little difference between Mussolini's action and the course followed by Cecil Rhodes or President Polk. But nevertheless it has now taken its place among the doctrinal gods of the State Department Valhalla alongside the Monroe Doctrine and the Open Door policy.

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In this connection the comments of the New York "Times" on Mr. Chamberlain's explanation of his Government's attitude are worthy of note. "At base, says the New York "Times," Mr. Chamberlain's plan is a bold attempt at all-round appeasement, and while it is clear that his purpose is not to isolate Germany, and therefore not to break the bond linking the Fascist governments, it is even more clear that he does not desire to strengthen it. His obvious objective is to create alternatives; either to bring the Reich into the circle he is constructing or, failing that, to build a bulwark strong enough to limit German ambitions."

The "Times" leading article then turns to the Prime Minister's clarification of his position on the Ethiopian conquest and his insistence that British action did not imply condonation of the methods employed by the Italian Government. It quoted the Prime Minister's statement, "I have always maintained that the only circumstances in which recognition could be morally justified were if it were shown to be an essential feature of a general appeasement." This statement, comments the journal, "while suggesting the motives of the Chamberlain policy, implies that recognition of the Italian conquest is not to be regarded as a precedent. The British Government is uneasily aware of the dangers inherent in the initiative it has agreed to take....The truth is that the international policies of today are emergency policies, expedients adopted to avoid greater evils."

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This final sentence, expressed in different ways, contains a sentiment which is heard widely in the United States today. Americans who take an interest in foreign politics reluctantly admit that part of the trouble in the world today has been the failure of countries to accept the lesser of two evils.

By rejecting the lesser evil they have not encompassed the good but have paved the way for the greater evil. A refusal to compromise with Germany on her armament demands led to her vast armaments of today, a refusal to permit an Austro-German Customs union, or the return of the Hapsburgs to the Austrian throne, led to the absorption of Austria by Germany, and the rejection of the Hoare-Laval plan to sacrifice part of Haile Selassie's Empire led to the complete conquest of Ethiopia.

It might be ideally desirable for all the world to be democratic and peaceful, but the world must be accepted as it is. If to adopt a Biblical metaphor the kid refuses to lie down with the lion, the lion will very probably try to eat him.

Wisdom from the Weeklies

Baseball in Gt. Britain

The burning question of the moment in sporting circles seems to be "Will Baseball capture the imagination of the public?" writes A. T. Grogan in the "Northern," and, as I think of the ever increasing number of teams anxious and willing to play this new and exciting game I feel sure that in a few years from now we shall look upon baseball as a major sport in England. Approximately 700 teams will take the field this season. This shows an increase of 200 teams over last year, the most pleasing feature being that more and more schools are taking up the game each week as the education authorities in various centres realize that baseball is an ideal team game which demands and cultivates mental as well as physical fitness; two very import features in the training of our young boys under modern standards. As I travel about preaching baseball to new enthusiasts, many are the arguments I have with cricket die-hards who seem to look upon baseball as an ugly reptile rearing its head in readiness to strike at what they call the very foundations of English sport. My reply to these friends is that baseball is actually cricket played under different rules, but, if the young people of today prefer a game which is clean, fast and intensely interesting the whole of the time, and where speed, action and robustness are essential, then they must be catered for. We are living in 1938 and, as in business, so in sport, we must move with the times. Personally I look to the future of baseball to provide yet another link in our great Empire, for now we have the game played in four of the Dominions—Canada, Australia, South Africa and New Zealand—and it may interest my listeners to know that already the National Baseball Association have had a request to send a team to Australia where so many of our present cricket visitors play baseball as a winter game.

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Patron Saint

At clubb writes the New Pepys in "Truth," this night some debate concerning England's Patron Saint, whose day this is; whether he was, as commonly imputed, that infamous George of Cappadocia, who having made his pile out of trading bad bacon to the Roman army under the Emperor Constantius, did espouse the cause of Arius against Athanasius, and afterward procured himself to be made Archbishopp of Alexandria. Here, moreover, did soe despoil and oppress the Egyptiens by his tyrannous exactiouns that the populace at last rose upon him and lynched him. But they being a pagan populace and he a Xtien Archbishopp, he did in after years acquite the mistaken reputacioun of a holy martyr to the Xtien Faith at the instance of pagan Julian, who had succeeded Xtien Constantius a short while before the lynching. Soe was canonized accordingly. Finally was adopted into England for her Patroun Saint at the time of the Crusades. An ignominious sort of Patroun Saint in good sooth, if this Capadocian George be of a truth the man. But, as Coll Mapperly, our Churchies member, did not impertinently contend, Was it credible that a Church universally sworn to Athanasius (as the Xtien Church became within a few yrs of the Cappadocian's death) shd ever have canonized this flagrantly heretick Arian into her Saintly Kalendar?

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai for 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

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Same date, 1937	Min.	66.7	Max.	89.4

Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 3rd:—Normal and rather steady pressure over China and Japan. Northerly to Easterly winds along the China Coast. Cloudy and fine weather in North and East China.

State on the morning of the 4th:—Fine and cloudy weather. South-Easerly wind. Pressure rather high to normal and steady.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Overcast weather with rain or mist and cyclonic circulation around Shantung. Fine to cloudy and hot but getting variable with fresh South-Easterly winds over our regions and along the Coast to the South of the Saddles. Depression crossing Central China East ward.—Siccawei Observatory.

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Japanese Make Gains In Central Anhwei

Important Chinese Base Occupied in Sudden Thrust; Columns Approaching Kaifeng City; Progress Slowed by Muddy Roads

WHILE strong Japanese columns were yesterday trudging towards Kaifeng over mudblanketed roads, two other units scored important gains in surprise thrusts in Central Anhwei.

Striking westwards towards the Anhwei-Honan border, one of the two columns at 8.20 o'clock yesterday morning occupied Fengtai. This town, regarded as one of the most important Chinese bases in Anhwei, lies 65 klms. south-west of Hwaiyuan, 20 klms. west of Pengpu.

Fengtai, a Japanese military spokesman here revealed last night, was taken only after an extremely sanguinary engagement, in which the Chinese put up a stubborn resistance.

The other column, operating further south, was said by the spokesman to have reached the eastern outskirts of Showhsien, on Friday morning.

This town lies 20 klms south of Fengtai on a highway and only 300 klms. north-east of Hankow.

"Mopping-Up" Completed

Before launching their thrusts westward, these two columns were said by the spokesman to have completed "mopping-up" operations against Chinese remnants in the area between the Hwai River, immediately north of Pengpu, and Hsuchow.

Meanwhile, further north, the stage was being set for a major battle for the possession of Kaifeng, the capital of Honan province and an important Lunghai Railway station.

Massed in the vicinity of the city were reported to be 200,000 of Gen. Chiang Kai-shek's picked troops under the command of Gen. Hu Tsung-nan. Japanese units, reports received here claimed, had already penetrated the outer rim of the Chinese defences south-east of the city.

Chinese Retreat

Chinese units defending fortifications in this area, roughly 20 miles from Kaifeng, were said to have been forced to retreat after a bitter battle that raged through most of Thursday night and Friday morning.

Confronting the Chinese command with another vexing problem, a Japanese unit was reported to be driving westward at a point directly south of Kaifeng, 40 klms. directly south of Kaifeng.

Still another column, which had defeated the Chinese forces in the area between Lanfeng, on the Lunghai and the Yellow River was also reported to be nearing Kaifeng.

Continuous rains, which had made all roads nearly impassable, were described in dispatches received here as the most serious obstacle faced by the advancing Japanese columns.

Ferry Held

Despite repeated attacks by the Chinese, the reports said, Japanese forces held Chenliukow ferry, on the southern bank of the Yellow River, and Sanyichai, north of Lanfeng.

A general offensive is under way against a large force of Chinese in full retreat westward since Thursday, a message from Tokyo stated.

A Japanese detachment which penetrated Honan province from Pohsien captured Checheng in north-eastern Honan, about 50 kilometres north-west of Pohsien, on Friday, the same message claimed.

The town was taken by the Fukuei detachment after a push over muddy roads in a rainstorm, the dispatch said.

According to a statement issued by the headquarters of the Japanese Army in North China, Japanese troops which had been operating in the Lanfeng area launched a general offensive at 10 o'clock in the morning of June 2.

In Western Sector

In the western sector, the communique said, Japanese troops advanced to a line linking Machwang, Jenchwang and Hsiaossumiao on Thursday night, while in the south other Japanese columns broke through a line linking Fantanchwang, Changlou and Lichwang.

Chinese troops are retreating from these areas, the Peiping statement claimed, with Japanese units in close pursuit.

Five thousand Chinese soldiers were slain in battles in the Lanfeng area, the communique said. The booty was listed as 20 armoured cars and tanks, ten machine-guns, 500 rifles, five field guns, 200 heavy shells, 91,100 rounds of ammunition, two locomotives and 71 freight cars.

Advance from Chihsien

A Japanese detachment which took Chihsien already has reached Yangchingkang and is keeping up its westward drive, the dispatches said.

A message from Shihchiachwang stated that an attempt of Chinese troops to drive a wedge between the Japanese forces north and south of the Yellow River at Chenliukow was frustrated in a night clash.

Chinese troops had tried several times to recapture the town. One division of Chinese troops started an advance toward Chenliukow from the north-east, while another division attacked from Kaifeng.

Receiving information of the Chinese counter-attack, Japanese troops lay in ambush for them near Chenliukow.

Heavily attacked by artillery, machine-gun and rifle fire, the Chinese troops were driven to the bank of the river and almost annihilated, the message from Shihchiachwang claimed. Survivors of the engagement were said to have fled in the direction of Kaifeng.

"Big Push" on Lanfeng

Hankow, June 4.

In a determined attempt to capture Kaifeng, capital of Honan province, Japanese troops are launching a furious attack on the Chinese positions east of Lanfeng, known as the gateway to Kaifeng, according to Chinese reports.

Fighting is reported to be proceeding at present at Mingchuan and Liuho, east of Lanfeng.

After repairing the railway between Kweiteh and Hsuchowfu, the Japanese are said to be rushing reinforcements up from Hsuchowfu to Kweiteh to support their "big push" towards Lanfeng.

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Bankers to Restrict Remittances

Chinese Action to Curb Finances in Japanese Controlled Areas

Hankow, June 4.

Restriction of remittances to areas under the control of the Japanese was among the important resolutions adopted by the Bankers' Conference, which ended here yesterday. Every facility, however, is to be given for remittances to territory under the control of the Chinese Government.

Other resolutions included:

(1). Encouragement of export industries and also of facilities for remittances to China from overseas Chinese.

(2). Continued efforts to collect gold and silver.

(3). An increase in the number of local financial organs.

(4). Encouragement of frugality and savings.

(5). Encouragement of production of daily necessities.

(6). An increase in the amount of agricultural loans.

(7). To continue giving credits.

(8). The training of competent men as financial experts.

Conditions Reviewed

Financial conditions since the start of the present hostilities were reviewed at the closing session of the conference by Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan and Minister of Finance.

Dr. Kung declared that outside the war areas, where withdrawal of deposits became evident when warfare threatened, deposits in banks in the interior had increased, especially in Hankow and in the provinces of Kwangtung, Szechuen and Hunan, although many banks had ceased to give interest on current deposits or had reduced the rate.

Furthermore, Dr. Kung continued, while many banks had removed their offices when areas were evacuated by the Chinese army, few of them had closed their doors since the war began, and those small local banks which had found it necessary to suspend operations owing to bad business had all been able to pay their depositors.

Despite the war, he went on, there had been a continuous demand for Chinese currency notes in the interior. The amount of remittances had shown a great increase since the beginning of the war, especially from threatened areas to Szechuen, Hunan, Yunnan and Kwangtung.

One of the gravest problems before them, Dr. Kung went on, was to alleviate the plight of the farmers who not only lacked capital but had been hard hit by the falling prices of farm products and by transportation difficulties resulting from the war. He urged credits to farmers and the raising of the prices of farm products.—Reuter.

Foreigner Loses Three Fingers

American Employee of Bus Company Picks Up Bomb

Three fingers of the left hand of Mr. N. F. Schlobaum, American engineer employed by the China General Omnibus Co., Ltd., had to be amputated at the Paulun Hospital early yesterday morning after a hand-grenade which he had been handling went off.

Mr. Schlobaum, it was learned last night, picked up the bomb while out on a visit to Hungjao. He was examining the weapon at home at about 2 a.m. when it suddenly exploded. He was taken to Paulun Hospital, where an immediate amputation was decided upon. He was released later and was in bed at home last night.

Britain to Build Two 40,000-Ton Warships

Construction to Begin This Year, Reported

London, June 4.

The construction of 40,000-ton battleships with armament of high calibre guns has now been definitely decided by the British Government, according to the "Daily Express" which claims to be in a position to state that the start will be made this year with the building of two battleships of this kind.

This decision is said here to be the direct outcome of Japan's refusal to disclose the details of her new naval building programme.—Trans-Ocean.

Bellanca to Set Up New Plant in Montreal

Warplanes for British and French Governments

New York, June 4.

The Bellanca Aircraft Corporation is planning the establishment of a plant in Montreal for the production of warplanes, the design of which has already been submitted to the British and French Governments.

One type that is contemplated is a twin-engined bomber with a speed of 300 miles an hour.—Reuter.

Monsoon Breaks

Bombay, June 4.

The monsoon has broken.—Reuter.

Bombs Again Rain on Canton City

Main Thoroughfare Hit; Many Killed

Canton, June 4.

The city was again raided shortly before 10.30 this morning and about 30 bombs were dropped between the Government offices and Taishatou.

A huge column of smoke appeared to be coming from the direction of the Government offices, indicating the possibility that a hit had been registered.

Later, the advent of clouds and rain caused the departure of the raiders, who had wrought havoc in the vicinities of the Government offices, Central Park, Taishatao station and the Naval Yard.

About 40 'planes participated in the raid and dropped their missiles continuously for 35 minutes, rocking the city to its foundations.

Despite protests, Japanese aeroplanes still pass over Shameen en route to their objectives.

The casualties in today's air raids, Chinese sources estimate, will, when they have been added together, exceed those caused by last week's raids.

Main Thoroughfare Hit

Three bombs are reported to have landed on Winghon Road, the city's main artery, and caused tremendous damage, many shops being destroyed and houses collapsing, trapping hundreds of unfortunate people beneath piles of fallen masonry.

Reuter's correspondent saw 30 corpses extricated in this district, together with forty crushed bodies, still alive but scarcely resembling human beings, so horrible were their injuries.

A renewed air raid alarm prevented Reuter's correspondent from venturing further afield, and this time 36 'planes came over, six of which proceeded to drop bombs in the vicinity of Saichuen.

At this point, the Chinese anti-aircraft guns opened up with such intensity that the raiders were forced to depart hurriedly after several shells had burst close to them.

Observers believe that the Chinese anti-aircraft defences have been considerably augmented during the past week.

The hospitals are full to the point of overflowing, and devoted doctors scarcely find time to attend to all the pitiful wrecks resulting from one visitation by Japanese 'planes before hundreds more are carted in, indefinitely prolonging the dreadful cycle.

It was revealed that Mr. Hesseil Tiltman, special correspondent of the "Daily Express," narrowly escaped death while taking shelter in General Wu Te-chen's dug-out.

Several bombs, evidently aimed at the dug-out, landed within a hundred yards, and exploded with terrific detonations.—Reuter.

Like City of the Dead

Canton tonight was like a city of the dead, although the dead are more fortunate than many of those who are still living, badly injured in today's air raids.

Some of the wounded are still pinned beneath blocks of fallen masonry.

Scenes which were being enacted in the city tonight will be difficult to forget, among the most poignant being a dying mother, whose legs were crushed beneath a huge stone block, receiving water from her weeping son.

The bloodiest section of the city is the corner of Taihong and Winghon Roads, where a four-storeyed concrete arcade crashed on top of hundreds of Chinese who were seeking refuge inside.

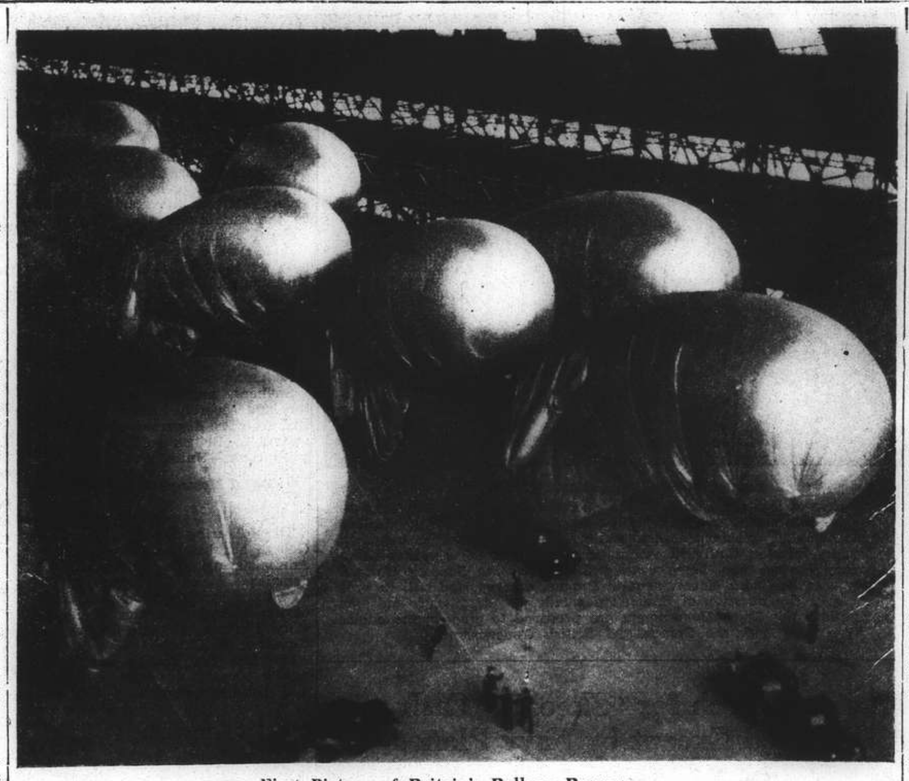
Two bombs dropped dangerously near the Pearl River Bridge, demolishing the houses on the waterfront, together with their occupants.

Five bombs were dropped in the compound of the Saichuen Power House, but the Power House itself was not damaged.—Reuter.

Soviet Envoy in Tokyo Leaves

Tokyo, June 4.

M. Mikhail Slavutsky, Soviet Ambassador to Japan, will leave here tomorrow night for Russia on furlough. He is said to be in ill health and is not expected by diplomatic quarters here to return to his post.—Domei.



First Picture of Britain's Balloon Barrage

This is one of several photographs taken for the first time, by special permission of the British Air Ministry, at Cardington, Beds., now the balloon training school of R.A.F. Here are made some hundreds of captive balloons, which will form with their steel cables a screen around London and other important centres to keep out raiding aircraft. The picture shows some of the balloons in their "nest"—one of the huge hangars.

Murder in the Lyceum Theatre; Man Shot During Concert

Charity Audience Horrified Spectators of Mystery Killing; Bullet Hits Two Men From Same Firm

JUST as a Chinese charity concert audience at the Lyceum Theatre yesterday afternoon had risen to its feet to applaud the performance, a single shot rang out; two Chinese staggered into one of the aisles and dropped. Huge gouts of blood poured from the neck of one man, while the other clutched at his shoulder. Before those around could collect their senses, the man who had fired the shot had raced out of the theatre into the street, to disappear before the alarm could be raised. One of his victims died on the spot, the other was in no state to be questioned last night.

Both the murdered man and the other victim were employed by the same firm, the International Business Machine Corporation, of 220 Szechuen Road, the first being one Cheng An-chuen 30 years of age, and the second Yu Shih-chieh 28 years of age. Both attended the 5.30 p.m. performance separately, and both occupied aisle seats on the ground floor, Mr. Cheng, clad in a white gown, in the second row, Mr. Yu, in a grey gown, in the fifth row and immediately behind him.

In company with everyone else at the concert, both Mr. Cheng and Mr. Yu rose to their feet as the curtain came down on the final scene and applauded the actors. Exactly what happened next is not clear, those standing immediately around Mr. Cheng being too excited to notice exactly. An unknown man fired a shot at Mr. Cheng, some say from the orchestra pit, but the consensus is from a seat in the second row and immediately on the other side of the aisle.

Artery Pierced

The bullet went clean through Mr. Cheng's throat, piercing the large artery and continuing past those standing in rows three and four, came to a stop in the shoulder of Mr. Yu, in the fifth row. There was a pause, the beginning of a scream and then all was confusion, as the murderer raced through into the street and the audience fled out into the lobby.

Some rushed to the aid of the two men. One of them was a foreigner who had just arrived in the lobby and heard the shot. He ran into the theatre just in time to see Mr. Cheng staggering and falling into the aisle, still holding his hat in one hand. The foreigner told the "North-China Daily News" that he saw no signs of the murderer and presumed the man had fled through one of the side doors.

Blood poured from the throat of Mr. Cheng, to form an ever-widening pool that slowly trickled towards the orchestra pit; he was dead before anything could be done for him. The French Police were soon on the spot with two riot vans of policemen who flung a cordon around the theatre, while detectives cross-examined the few members of the audience who had stayed behind and photographers and finger-print men started about their work.

Mr. Yu was rushed off to hospital in an ambulance, and although he was reported to be resting comfortably in the circumstances last night, he was in no condition to be interrogated and the French Police postponed their questioning of the man until today.

No Political Reason

No clue as to the identity of the murderer was obtainable last night. Neither of his victims, however, have any political affiliations, as far as can be ascertained, and so the murder of Mr. Cheng is put down to revenge, though whether personal or for business reasons is not yet known; the wounding of Mr. Yu is coincidental.

Just as the "North-China Daily News" representative was leaving the Lyceum Theatre, a few early members of the cast of the Russian Light Opera Company arrived to don their costumes and make up for last night's performance of "Katja the Dancer." They appeared quite startled at the idea that any cancellation of the evening performance might be entertained.

"The show must go on!" tritely remarked one of them. *"Pourquoi non?"* asked another, *"C'est la vie—en Chine."*

World Economic Appeasement Remains Only True Basis of Peace

Mr. George Lansbury Stresses Need for Action in Commons; Van Zeeland Report Basis Urged

London, June 3.

Maintenance of peace is subordinated to a just and pacific organization of world economics. This was the main point in a long speech delivered in the House of Commons today by the veteran Labour leader Mr. George Lansbury.

"Peace will be firmly established only when all nations agree really to co-operate in the economic field, to proceed to a just distribution of raw materials and colonial territories, to grant each other full facilities on all world markets," Mr. Lansbury declared.

"Sooner or later the Commons will have to face this problem, a good illustration of which is being brought about by the present Sudeten problem," which, he said, is essentially an economic one.

"Sudeten districts have suffered terribly from the economic depression. When I toured Central Europe some months ago, I was able to meet the man in the street, as well as dictators and democratic statesmen, and I came back with the conviction that there is no way out unless nations like our own take the lead in giving to certain nations assistance to enable them to bring about economic rehabilitation and develop their natural resources."

Van Zeeland Report Basis

"It seems to me that an adequate solution for these grave problems is to be found in the report drawn by the former Premier of Belgium, M. Paul Van Zeeland, as the result of an investigation conducted on the suggestion of the British and French Governments. H.B.M. Government should tell us that this valuable document is not going to lie and rot in the archives of the Foreign Office."

After Mr. Lansbury, another Labour leader, Mr. Arthur Henderson, took the floor and proposed that negotiations for an economic agreement with the U.S. be speeded as it "would be the first step in the right direction and a prerequisite to a broader peaceful policy, which would call for a joint conference of Great Britain, France and Italy. Great Britain should take the initiative of summoning such a meeting, which eventually would bring about a reasonable solution of economic and political difficulties in Central and Eastern Europe as well as in the Danubian countries."

Although supporting the points of view expressed by Mr. Lansbury and Mr. Henderson, Mr. Wedgwood Bern, also Labour, strongly protested against the idea that a rightful settlement of outstanding problems may be brought about by territorial and economic concessions to totalitarian regimes "as the ambitions of dictators can never be statisfied and never will.

Government View Stated

Answering for the Government, Mr. R. H. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, merely declared that a minimum political appeasement was necessary to allow economic negotiations to be undertaken. The British Government are methodically pursuing their efforts to promote a solution of economic problems and are continually advocating the renunciation of nefarious "autarchie" doctrines.

Mr. Van Zeeland's report is still being studied, the Under Secretary concluded.—Havas.

Japanese Transport On Amherst Rock

Foreign vessels coming into port yesterday reported having sighted a large Japanese transport, tonnage unknown, wrecked on Amherst Rock, near the mouth of the Yangtze. The ship was partially submerged, only the superstructure, bridge and masts being visible. No details of any casualties were obtainable yesterday. Two Japanese destroyers were seen standing-by.

Bombings in China Deplored in U.S.

Official Statement Published; France Asked to Protest

Washington, June 3.

The United States Government today deplored the bombing of civilians in China and Spain which is contrary to every law of decency and civilization.

The attack on indiscriminate bombing of civilian areas was made in a formal statement by Mr. Sumner Welles, Assistant Secretary of State.

The statement also termed the attacks as ruthless and contrary to the precepts of international law.

Since it was revealed that the issuing of the statement had been discussed with President Roosevelt, the Government stand had been given direct Presidential approval.

The issuing of the statement was believed to be the result of China's recent appeal to foreign Powers for condemnation of Japan for indiscriminate bombing of civilian areas in China, especially Canton.—United Press.

Independent Action

Washington, June 4.

The statement, reports Reuter, declares that the people of the United States regard such warfare as "barbarous." Asked whether the statement had any connection with the recent British representations to Gen. Francisco Franco, Nationalist commander in Spain, Mr. Welles replied that the "United States is, of course, acting entirely independently." He added that his statement was not being communicated to Gen. Franco or the Japanese Government.

France Asked to Protest

Paris, June 4.

Dr. Wellington Koo, Chinese Ambassador to France, has asked M. Georges Bonnet, the Foreign Minister, whether the Powers will make a protest to Japan, similar to the one sent to the Nationalist leader in Spain, Gen. Francisco Franco, against the bombing of open towns.—Reuter.

Tokyo Gets London Views

Tokyo, June 4.

The British Government's views on the Japanese air raids on Canton were conveyed to the Gaimusho this afternoon by Sir Robert Craigie, British Ambassador.

The contents of the British demarche, handed to Mr. Kensuke Horinouchi, Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, were not divulged.

Earlier in the afternoon, Mr. Horinouchi had a half-hour interview with Signor Giacinto Auriti, Italian Ambassador. The nature of this conversation was likewise kept secret.

No Legal Grounds

Official circles, commenting on the British demarche, said they doubted if it had any legal ground under international law.

They, however, urged the nation to remain watchful, in the belief that the British demarche and views reportedly expressed by Mr. Summer Welles, Under-Secretary of State, were an indication of a new wave of anti-Japanese propaganda abroad.

Japan's position regrding the bombing of Canton, it was emphasized, was fully explained in statements issued by the Foreign Office and the Naval Section of the Imperial General Headquarters on June 1. Foreign protests and representations, the officials said, will be dealt with along the lines indicated in these statements.

Only Difference in Scale

It was pointed out that the current raids on Canton were no whit different from attacks on other points of military importance in the past. The only difference, the officials said, possibly lay in the scale of the raids.—Domei.

United States of Africa Proposed

Gen. Jan C. Smuts Tells Advantages of Scheme

Capetown, June 4.

The incorporation of the British protectorates and mandated territories in Africa into the South African Union to form the United States of Africa has now been publicly urged by Gen. Jan C. Smuts.

In a written message to the meeting of the South African Society in Nairobi, he draws the attention to the advantages that would result from a union and administrative unification of this sort. It would enable them all to work together in solving all their problems.

"The United States of Africa" should be composed, he urges, of the Union, the mandated territory of South-West Africa, the British Protectorate of Bechuanaland, North and South Rhodesia, Tanganyika and Kenya.—Trans-Ocean.

Japanese Warships on Move Up-river

Possible Attack on Anking Feared by Chinese

Hankow, June 4.

Twelve Japanese warships were reported to have left Tatung, west of Wuhu, this morning for Kweichih, about 20 miles up river.

Over ten Japanese 'planes were said to have carried out reconnoitring flights in the vicinity of Tatung, apparently acting as escorts to Japanese warships which were steaming up river.

The Japanese ships, it is thought, are steaming up river with the object of attacking Anking, capital of Anhwei province.

Chinese circles here state that it remains to be seen whether the threatened attack represents the beginning of a Japanese attempt to attack Hankow by way of the Yangtze.—Reuter.

U.S. Moves to Humanize War

Mr. Cordell Hull Announces American Action to Reduce Arms; Isolationist Policy Hit

Nashville, Ten., June 4.

"WE are prepared to join other nations in moving resolutely towards bringing about an effective agreement on the limitation and progressive reduction of armaments," said Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, in an address last night before the American Bar Association.

"With the use of armed force assuming unheard of proportions and shocking the world with scarcely imaginable brutality," Mr. Hull declared, "the United States is prepared to join other nations in resuming vigorously and carrying forward the work of humanizing, by common agreement, the rules and practices of warfare."

Mr. Hull stated that it was wise and prudent for a great nation like theirs to provide adequately for national defence. A stable and durable peace, however, could only be achieved through the universal enthronement of a spirit of respect for law by the resumption of determined efforts towards international co-operation.

"We should exert all the moral force of which we are capable," he continued, "towards influencing other nations to work for the same end, to employ civilized practices and to accept a pacific settlement in connection with such controversies as may arise between them.

Involvements Eschewed

"We should be prepared to aid, in every practicable way, in the resort to such peaceful means of settlement.

"Within the limitations of our traditional policies," Mr. Hull went on, "and without entangling alliances or involvements, we should co-operate sincerely and resolutely with like-minded nations working for the same goal."

Referring to American isolationists, the Secretary of State declared:

"The deliberate renunciation by us of any participation in international affairs would make for the easier triumph of lawlessness and brute force in war.

"In a world growing more and more disordered and chaotic, we will be compelled to increase our armed defences on a scale that will impose a truly crushing burden on our people.

"Justice and Morality"

"Even so, we would have to live in constant danger that the rising wave of international anarchy would, sooner or later, reach and batter down our walls and engulf us as well as the rest of mankind."

Mr. Hull emphasized that "in the years that lie ahead, the chances that international anarchy and lawlessness will be replaced by order, under law, will largely depend on the sincerity and firmness with which some nations, at least, maintain their devotion to the principles of international law, resting, in turn, upon a foundation of co-operation, justice and morality.

"I can wish for our country," he concluded, "no more glorious course than to be the leader in devotion to these principles and in the service of their preservation and advancement."—Reuter.

Mexico Sues British Oil Company

Seizure Decree Claimed as Covering Property Abroad

Washington, June 4.

The Mexican Government has decided to sue the British firm, Mexican Eagle Oil Co., for delivery of a tanker which is at present in the port of Mobile, Alabama.

The Government is arguing that as the company was expropriated, all its belongings should go to Mexico.

The tanker in question was at Mobile when the Mexican President, Gen. Lazaro Cardenas, signed the expropriation decree.

Political circles here pointed out that an important point of international law will be raised by the case.

If the American Federal courts give their decision in favour of Mexico, a precedent will be created permitting Mexico to claim all belongings of the expropriated companies at present abroad.

This would not fail to create difficulties for the American oil interests as the bank deposits and other belongings situated in the United States would fall under the order of seizure in favour of the Mexican Government.—Havas.

Chengtu Gentry Support National Union

Chengtu, June 4.

The elders among the Chengtu gentry have formed an association called the "Ming Ih Chen Ping Shae," which means "Democratic reform association." Its principles are contrary to extreme movements such as Communism or Fascism. One of the policies of the new association calls for co-operation with the provincial government in supporting the cause of national unity.—Reuter.

Bombing of Bases Urged in Tokyo

Worldwide Propaganda to Be Ignored Says Journal; Civilians Spared

Tokyo, June 4.

"Ignoring Chinese world-wide propaganda, Japan must destroy all Chinese military bases," the "Nichi-Nichi" said yesterday in an editorial dealing with Japanese air raids on Canton. Only through the destruction of these bases, it added, can the Hankow administration be annihilated.

"Taking advantage of the recent air raids by Japanese aircraft, Gen. Chiang Kai-shek's government is now making desperate efforts to persuade the world that the Japanese are guilty of indiscriminate attacks on 'defenceless cities'," the daily declared.

"Although the Naval Section of the Imperial General Headquarters and a spokesman of the Foreign Office had clarified the actual situation in special statements, it appears to be urgently necessary now to clarify Japan's fair and just actions."

Similar propaganda, the journal went on, was tried by the Chinese last winter, when they accused the Japanese of bombing civilians in Nanking.

"It was later demonstrated," the daily said, "that the Chinese assertions were exaggerated propaganda."

Canton, like Hankow, has now become a centre of anti-Japanese activities and military operations, the "Nichi-Nichi" said. The city, it added, is well defended by anti-aircraft guns. Therefore, the daily said, air raids upon such a city are indispensable to the overthrowal of Gen. Chiang Kai-shek.

The journal emphasized that Japanese naval airmen avoid all possible damage to the interests of third Powers and innocent civilians.—Domei.

Anglo-Greek Parleys Keenly Watched

Similar Accord to Pact With Turkey Expected

London, June 3.

Political circles here comment with great interest on negotiations now being carried on between the British and the Greek governments. It is expected that conversations will culminate in an agreement similar to that recently concluded by London with Ankara, and which will not only settle several important financial and economic problems, but will also provide for supply of British war material to Greece.

The same circles considered the negotiations a swift and silent move destined to stabilize and still further increase British influence in Eastern Mediterranean, and recalled that many influential members of the British Government advocated the formation of a bloc of peaceful nations, running from Poland to the Black Sea and probably even further east, to the Persian Gulf.—Havas.

U.S. Attending London Whaling Conference

Britain's Invitation to June Meeting Accepted

Washington, June 4.

The United States Government has accepted the British Government's invitation to attend the International Whaling Conference in London on June 13.

The Conference will study the results of the recent whaling season and consider any modification or extension necessary of the existing International Whaling Agreement.

The United States delegates to the Conference are Mr. Hershel Johnson, Counsellor to the American Embassy in London; Dr. Remington Kellog, from the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, and Commander Derby, of the United States Coast Guard Service.—Reuter.

German Protest Note to Prague Firm But Not Violent in Tone

Eleven Instances of "Excesses" and Violations of Frontier Detailed; Moderate Demands Made

Prague, June 4.

The German Note of protest to Czechoslovakia against reported "excesses" is firm in tone but not violent.

It mentions eleven instances, most of which deal with alleged violation of the frontier by Czechoslovakian planes, while there are four cases citing aggression on German citizens.

It is gathered that the communique also suggests, with a view to eliminating the risk of further incidents, that soldiers and gendarmes shall not carry ball cartridges or enter public houses, and that the reservists be gradually disbanded.

As far as can be ascertained in official quarters, none of these proposals is likely to prove impossible, or even difficult, to accept. It is officially stated that the Government has decided to extend and accelerate the disbandment of the reservists, and it is learned that some 50,000 men have already been sent home.—Reuter.

Czech Apology

Prague, June 4.

Apology for the confiscation by Czech soldiers of a swastika flag from Reichs German nationals living in the Czechoslovakian municipality of Niederullersdorf, was tendered to the German Legation yesterday morning by the Czech Foreign Minister, M. Kamel Krofta.—Trans-Ocean.

Slovaks Seek Autonomy

Prague, June 4.

The Slovak People's Party, headed by Mgr. Andrej Hlinka, has decided to present a bill demanding autonomy for the Slovaks, and in particular for a Slovak Legislative Diet.

The bill will include a detailed outline of the principal points of the Pittsburgh Treaty and is expected to be presented to Parliament shortly.

"No statute of nationalities whatever has been submitted by Czech Premier, Dr. Milan Hodza, to our leader, Herr Konrad Henlein," declared Deputy Kundt, Chairman of the Sudeten Parliamentary Committee, in an interview prominently featured today by the Sudeten organ, "Die Rundschau."

A passionate appeal to Sudeten parents to withdraw their children from Czech schools was published today in the "Rundschau."—Havas.

Warning to H'kow Foreigners

Return of Women, Children Too Early; Possibility of Another Evacuation

Hankow, June 4.

With the improvement in the situation in Shantung a few months ago, several foreign women and children decided that it was safe to return to Hankow. Slight concern had been caused in the city by their presence and this morning the following notice appeared in the foreign press:

"The Committee of the Foreign Residents' Association have observed, with no little misgiving, the return of many women and children to Hankow in recent weeks.

"It is the Committee's considered opinion that not only has there been no improvement in the situation, which then induced many residents to evacuate their families, but in certain respects it gives grounds for increased anxiety.

"The possibility of concentration or evacuation in the face of a crisis has definitely not been removed, and it is pointed out that the hardships and hazards that such a development would entail will be seriously accentuated by its occurrence in mid-summer.

"The committee feel that it is their duty to issue this warning and appeal to the public to co-operate in restricting the number of foreign residents as much as possible."—Reuter.

No "Orders to Kill Foreigners"

Hankow Spokesman Refutes Recent Report

Hankow, June 4.

The allegation attributed in Chinese circles to the Japanese that mobile units have been ordered to "kill all foreigners in occupied areas" was indignantly denied by the Chinese military spokesman today.

"It is inconceivable," he declared, "that any nation desiring foreign support and assistance as China does should have resorted to such a dubious method of achieving this end."

"This patent lie," the spokesman continued, "is designed to alienate foreign sympathy with China, and also to counteract the strong reaction aroused by numerous Japanese outrages against foreign lives and property.

"A third possible motive is the desire of the Japanese military to furnish a pretext for their stern refusal to allow foreigners to return to occupied areas."

Commenting on the Japanese reference to "hearty co-operation" between Catholics and the Japanese Army, which is alleged to have aroused the Chinese desire to "kill all foreigners," the Chinese spokesman said that the Japanese certainly "had an extraordinary method of rewarding co-operation."

He recalled the alleged recent murder of Father Fourre, and five Franciscan sisters, by "the Japanese or their agents" at Changlo, in Shantung, and also the alleged bombing of Catholic churches, and property far behind the actual fighting line.

"Such treatment of Catholics," the spokesman declared, "who, the Japanese said, were co-operating with them, makes it easy to understand the unending list of outrages committed against non-Catholic foreigners and their property by Japanese soldiers."—Reuter.

S'hai University and Japanese Airfield

Mission Replies to Tokyo Spokesman's Statement

In reply to the statement made by the Japanese spokesmen in Tokyo with regard to the University of Shanghai and Japanese desires for its purchase, because "it is intolerable to have many Chinese students in the university compound which is adjacent to the Japanese aerodrome," an official of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society, owners of the university, pointedly drew the attention of a representative of the "North-China Daily News" yesterday to the fact that although the Japanese aerodrome had only been there for a few months in 1932 and again in 1937, the University of Shanghai had been there "since 1906."

The premises of the University were still occupied yesterday by the Japanese, who are endeavouring to purchase the property. The U. S. Department of State has demanded its return to the mission and it was intimated locally yesterday that any offers from the Japanese for its purchase would be turned down.

Communists Reinstated In Kuomintang

Chungking, June 4.

At the 14th meeting of the Standing Committee of the Central Supervisory Committee of the Kuomintang held yesterday it was decided to reinstate to Party membership the following 26 former members, who had been previously expelled from the Party for various political reasons.

Chen Chi-yuan, Peng Tse-chih, Chou En-lai, Cha Jen-wei, Lin Tsu-han, Mao Tse-tung, Kao Yu-han, Kuo Mo-jo, Chan Yao-kun, Chen Tu-hsiu, Shih Peng-chan, Liu Ching-yang, Pao Hui-seng, Yu Shu-te, Tung Yung-wei, Peng Tse-min, Chen Yu-jen (Eugene Chen), Lin Chieh-fu, Chang Kuo-shou, Kuo Shou-hua, Yu Kuo-chen, Lo Kung-hua, Wu Yu-chang, Teng Ying-chao, Yeh Chien-ying, and Huang Yuan.—Kuo Min.

British Air Inquiry Commission

London, June 4.

Despite the vigorous defence put up by the British Government against hostile criticism of its air armament programme, a decision has been taken, according to today's issue of the "Daily Mail," to set up a commission of inquiry into the organization of the British Air Ministry. Sir Kingsley Wood, the Air Minister, is said to have already entrusted Lord Cadman with the task of conducting this inquiry. This new commission will mainly be composed of leading British industrialists.—Trans-Ocean.

Pirates Climb to First Division

Giants Beaten; Gumbert Sent to Showers

New York, June 3.

By nipping the New York Giants, league leaders, 6-5, today, the Pittsburgh Pirates climbed into the first division in the National loop. The Bucs snatched the fourth berth from the Cincinnati Reds who toppled by losing to Brooklyn Dodgers, 5-4.

The Cleveland Indians and the New York Yankees kept up their hot pace in the American League and both came through with comfortable victories.

Only one game was rained out, the Boston Red Sox and St. Louis Browns being forced to hold up their tussle because of the showers.

Barrage of Hits

Cutting loose with a barrage of Singles, the Bucs blasted Harry Gumbert out of the box in the second inning, when they scored six runs. It was this wild spree which paved the way for their 6-5 victory over the Terrymen, for there was no further scoring by the Pirates.

Paul Waner clouted out three singles for the Bucs in four trips to the plate.

Although the Philadelphia Phillies came through in a ninth frame rally and scored two runs thanks to a homer by Charlie Klein, the St. Louis Cardinals pushed one in during the eleventh session to finish ahead, 8-7.

The Chicago Cubs mauled the Boston Bees for a 4-0 trouncing when Augie Galan smashed out a triple and a single to lead the attack. The Bruins scored three runs in the fourth canto.

National League

	R.	H.	E.
New York	5	8	0
Pittsburgh	6	12	4
Batteries: Gumbert, Lohrman, Brown and Danning; Klinger and Todd.			
Boston	0	3	0
Chicago	4	6	0
Batteries: Fette, Erickson and Mueller; Lee and Hartnett.			
Brooklyn	5	13	1
Cincinnati	4	7	2
Batteries: Mungo, Posedel and Phelps; Davis and Lombardi.			
Philadelphia	7	13	1
St. Louis	8	15	1
Batteries: Sivess, Smith Mulcahy and Atwood; Clar, Weiland, Davis, Macon and Owen.			

Eleven innings.

American League

Detroit	1	7	0
New York	5	8	0
Batteries: Gill, Coffman and Tebbetts; Ruffing and Dickey, Jorgens.			
Chicago	1	6	3
Washington	5	9	1
Batteries: Lee and Schlueter; W. Ferrell and R. Ferrell.			
Cleveland	10	15	0
Philadelphia	5	11	0
Batteries: Allen and Pytlak; Thomas, Potter, Williams and Hayes.			

Team Standings

National League	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	25	13	.658
Chicago	25	15	.610
Boston	19	15	.559
Pittsburgh	19	18	.514
Cincinnati	20	20	.500
St. Louis	17	20	.459
Brooklyn	16	26	.381
Philadelphia	11	24	.314

American League			
Cleveland	26	13	.667
New York	23	15	.605
Washington	25	18	.581
Boston	21	17	.553
Detroit	19	21	.475
Philadelphia	15	22	.405
Chicago	13	21	.264
St. Louis	11	25	.306

—United Press.

Aston Villa Enjoy Very Successful Season

Spectators to be Given Greater Comforts

London, May 1.

Aston Villa supporters will be pleased to hear that their club has this year achieved the greatest financial success in its history.

Last year they made a profit of £9,500, but this year's gain will exceed this by a long way.

Their supporters will also be pleased to learn that the club, realizing that their success is due to the splendid support they have received, intends to show its appreciation by extending their ground and improving the amenities for the comfort of the spectators.

Villa Park holds 75,000, but it is hoped to increase its capacity to 85,000. There will also be more seats and more room under cover.—Reuter.

Canidrome Results

1—400 yd. flat.—1, Comalong; 2, Jacko. 4 lengths.—Time, 27.34. Win, $34.50. Forecast (6-5) Div. $126.70. Place, 1st $15.40; 2nd $9.20.

2—440 yd. flat.—1, Wedding Eve; 2, Flyco. 2½ lengths.—Time, 26.82. Win, $15.20. Forecast (1-5) Div. $77.70. Double Event 1/2 (6-1) Div. $60.40. Place, 1st $9.90; 2nd $12.60.

3—500 yd. flat.—1, The Skipper; 2, Outlaw. 1 length.—Time, 31.34. Win, $27.80. Forecast (6-2) Div. $83.40. Double Event 2/3 (1-6) Div. $52.20. Place, 1st $10.40; 2nd $7.50.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Jackies Girl; 2, Fearless Foe. 3½ lengths.—Time, 30.37. Win, $12.40. Forecast (3-2) Div. $38.40. Double Event 3/4 (6-3) Div. $31.60. Place, 1st $6.90; 2nd $8.40.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Busa; 2, Bowster Boy. 3 lengths.—Time, 30.48. Win, $20.90. Forecast (1-5) Div. $82.70. Double Event 4/5 (3-1) Div. $19.90. Place, 1st $10.20; 2nd $16.10.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Gleniffer; 2, Diamond Queen. 5 lengths.—Time, 30.26. Win, $16.40. Forecast (4-6) Div. $52.60. Double Event 5/6 (1-4) Div. $22.70. Place, 1st $7.70; 2nd $10.20.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Glen Artney; 2, Actor. Short head.—Time, 30.19. Win, $17.10. Forecast (4-5) Div. $52.60. Double Event 6/7 (4-4) Div. $22.99. Place, 1st $8.80; 2nd $14.90.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Nanette; 2, Spermin Lecitin. Short head.—Time, 30.30. Win $17.60. Forecast (5-1) Div. $126.80. Place, 1st $8.80; 2nd $11.30.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, Lido; 2, Saucy Johnnie. 4 lengths.—Time, 29.37. Win, $22.90. Forecast (6-3) Div. $80.80. Double Event 8/9 (5-6) Div. $34.10. Place, 1st $11.80; 2nd $10.90.

10—525 yd. flat.—1, Instructor; 2, Tinker. 6 lengths.—Time, 31.19. Win, $14.70. Forecast (1-2) Div. $84. Place, 1st $8.40; 2nd $14.30.

11—525 yd. flat.—1, Whitey; 2, Pearlman. 6 lengths.—Time, 31.11. Win, $15.10. Forecast (6-3) Div. $121.90. Double Event 10/11 (1-6) Div. $21.20. Place, 1st $10.10; 2nd $19.70.

12—525 yd. flat.—1, Loughton; 2, Glen Mist. 1½ lengths.—Time, 30.99. Win, $13.30. Forecast (4-3) Div. 41.80. Double Event 11/12 (6-4) Div. $16.50. Place, 1st $6.70; 2nd $7.40.

Leader of Sudeten Germans Smiles

Herr Konrad Henlein, Leader of the Sudeten German Party in Czechoslovakia, who claims to speak for the German minority of 3½ millions in that country, is shown here in smiling mood just after his luncheon with Mr. Winston Churchill whom he met during his recent visit to London. Parleys now being conducted between the Sudeten German Party and the Czech Government in Prague, are reported still in progress over the question of Sudeten demands for autonomy and the concessions the Czech Government are prepared to give on the advice of both the French and British Governments.

Florida Search for "Skeegie" Cash Abandoned Except by Navy Planes

Child's Mother Prostrate with Anxiety; Cloth Stained with Blood Reported Found in Sea

Princeton, Fla., June 4.

The search for "Skeegie" Cash, kidnapped son of Mr. James Cash, wealthy Miami oil dealer, has been abandoned, except by naval planes.

Thus is brought to a conclusion one of the greatest searches in the history of Florida, in which 400 American Legionaries, 2,000 volunteers, motor boats, divers, and private and naval planes have been co-operating in their efforts to track down the kidnappers and rescue the child.

The child's mother lies prostrate with anxiety with a doctor in attendance as hope has almost been abandoned that her child will be returned to her alive.

Before the hunt was given up, the number of searchers was increased, and a fleet of boats extended the search to the Florida Keys, while 150 men combed the area near Cape Sable.

Blood-Stained Cloth Found

Divers explored the sea bottom at Card Sound, the southernmost tip of Florida, where it was reported that a piece of blood-stained cloth had been found.

G-men were said to be rushing to the spot by car, to inspect the find.

"Skeegie" was kidnapped while sleeping in his cot on May 29.

His kidnappers demanded $10,000 as ransom money, and threatened to kill the child if the police were notified of his disappearance.

Following so closely on the finding of the body of twelve-year-old Peter Levine, who was found on May 24, the more recent kidnapping caused a stir throughout the countryside, and a posse of hundreds of searchers, who voluntarily gave their services, were expected to lynch the kidnappers if they found them.

The Governor of Florida, accordingly, ordered the National Guard to turn out to take charge of the search.

Defying the kidnappers' instructions not to inform the police, Mr. Cash later informed the "G-men" of the kidnapping.

Despite the fact that the ransom money was delivered to the kidnappers, the boy was not returned, and hundreds of farmers responded to a general call for volunteers to search for the baby.

On June 2, fears were expressed that the child would never be returned alive.—Reuter.

Local Japanese Aid in War Appreciated

Letters to Be Sent Many For Good Services

Letters of appreciation will be given by Mr. Shinrokuro Hidaka, Japanese Consul-General, to Japanese residents here who took part in outstanding activities during the hostilities in Shanghai, the "Shanghai Nippo" stated yesterday.

Mr. Hidaka assigned several civic organizations to make a survey of Japanese residents' activities meriting special praise. Japanese newspapers, including local offices of dailies in Japan, the Japan Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Tung Wen College, Shanghai Science Institute and other institutions will assist in the investigation.

Mr. Anthony Eden Calls For National Unity

Conditions in Time of Peace Can be Critical

London, June 4.

"In the present situation it is surely our duty to do all in our power to promote national unity. We had previously achieved such a unity in time of war, but conditions in time of peace can be scarcely less critical."

This statement was made by Mr. Anthony Eden, former Foreign Secretary, in a letter to his constituents of Warwick and Leamington.

"The process of deterioration unhappily continues and a policy of concessions will not alone suffice to check it."—Havas.

Reichs Revenue Shows Increase

Berlin, June 4.

The total revenue of the German Reich in the financial year of 1937 amounted to Rm. 13,964,300,000 compared with Rm. 11,492,400,000 in the preceding year, thus showing an increase of Rm. 2,471,900,000. Revenue derived from customs duties and taxes on consumption, increased by Rm. 488,500,000, while the income tax yielded an increase of Rm. 856,-800,000.—Trans-Ocean.

American to Head I.L.O. at Geneva

Geneva June 4.

Mr. John Gilbert Winant, a personal friend of President Roosevelt, has been elected director of the International Labour Office. Mr. Winant succeeds Mr. Harold Butler, who resigned to assume an important post in the college of Economics at Oxford.—Reuter.

Reich Commissioner in Austria Retires

Berlin, June 4.

Herr Wilhelm Keppler, Reich Commissioner in Austria, has retired at his own request. It is officially explained that necessary measures for the anschluss and economic reconstruction in Austria have been initiated and Herr Keppler has been given new and important tasks.—Reuter.

THE closing service of the Cathedral Sunday Schools and Children's morning service will be held this afternoon in the Cathedral at 3 o'clock, when the speaker will be the Rev. J. N. L. Bryan, B.A., C. F. There will be no morning service for the children, but all are invited to come to the Cathedral. The usual bus will not run in the morning, but a special bus has been provided for the afternoon and will leave Jessfield Park at 2.30 o'clock, proceeding by the usual route to the Cathedral.

Violence Renewed in Kingston, Jamaica

Royal Message of Sympathy On Death of Governor

Kingston, June 3.

Bloodshed marked the resumption of labour strife today in Jamaica and several strikers were shot and killed as the authorities took stern measures to quell the disorders.

Police were forced to fire into a mob of looters fifty miles outside Kingston and killed two and wounded two. Following this incident British soldiers patrolled the city's streets and suburbs.

New strikes flared up in banana and sugar estates throughout Jamaica, threatening new disorders.

Strikers mobbed police inspectors and severely beat them but the strikers were dispersed by the timely arrival of British soldiers who shot one striker.—United Press.

Royal Message of Sympathy

London, June 3.

The following message from King George has been sent to the Officer Administering the Government of Jamaica:

"I have learnt with deepest regret of the death in Jamaica of Sir Edward Denham, Captain-General and Governor in Chief.

"In him the Empire has lost a public servant of long experience and distinguished ability. His death is a grave loss to the Colony and will, I know, bring sorrow to the hearts of all my people in Jamaica.—Wireless through Reuter.

U.S. "Bowl of Rice" Parties Sponsored

Money for Usual Meal To be Sent to China

New York, June 3.

"Bowl of rice" parties, to be held in 1,500 American cities on June 17, will be under the sponsorship of the United Council for Civilian Relief in China, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, National Chairman, announced today.

The parties were arranged because of a request by Mrs. E. F. Henry, Southern Methodist relief worker in Shanghai.

Mrs. Henry informed the Council that 1,600 babies born in refugee camps in Shanghai during the past four months were in danger of dying from starvation.

The "Bowl of Rice" parties call for the eating of only a little rice on June 17. The money which would have been spent on the regular meals that day is to be turned over to the Council to be used for relief funds.—United Press.

British Mediation in Spain Unwanted

Nationalists Declare "Enemy" Must Give in

London, June 3.

Great Britain has not yet submitted any proposals for mediation in the Spanish conflict to the Nationalist Government, it was announced here today in a communique released by the Spanish Nationalist press agency. Furthermore, the communique added, there can be no peace in Spain until the enemy surrenders unconditionally.—Havas.

Foreigners Sentenced

Sentences ranging from one year to two months were passed on six foreigners by the First Special District Court yesterday. They were convicted on charges of having stolen over $2,700 worth of radio parts from the Hasoda Trading Co., a Japanese radio firm in Paoting Road. Some $1,000 worth of the stolen goods were recovered. The sentenced men were: N. G. Berjitsky and Vasily Boolatoff, each one year's imprisonment; Evgeny Yashin, eight months; K. V. Egoroff, three months; E. O. Donskoy and Leonid Krivenko, two months each.

Another Panda on Way to U.S.

Honolulu, June 3.

The cream and black panda named "Pandora" arrived here today en route to the New York Zoo.

The latest specimen of the once rare Tibetan mammal is a female cub in the custody of Mr. Roy C. Spooner, 33-year-old chemistry professor of West China Union University at Chengtu, who said Mrs. Nan Dickinson, university teacher on vacation in the eastern Tibetan hills, obtained it from natives. Mr. Spooner said he was going to Toronto and would later take up post-graduate work at Los Angeles.—United Press.

Foreign Lady Robbed

A foreign lady, whose name and nationality were being withheld by the police last night, was held up at about 4.30 p.m. yesterday near 1182 Yu Yuen Road by a male Chinese and robbed of a wedding ring and a handbag containing a few personal effects. The Chinese, who carried a pistol, escaped before the alarm was raised.

OBITUARY

Mr. George Forrest

London, June 3.

The man who made the world's first telephone has died at Bedford at the age of 92.

He was Mr. George Forrest who, when Graham Bell invented the telephone, made the first receiving and transmitting set. For nearly 40 years Mr. Forrest was associated with the Woolwich firm of Siemens Brothers and took a prominent part in the earliest developments of electrical engineering. He helped lay the first French trans-Atlantic cable and also took part in the development of the automatic telephone exchange.—Wireless through Reuter.

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British Ship Bombed Off Alicante

Madrid, June 4.

The British tanker Maryad was bombed from the air off Alicante today, and set on fire. Mr. Williams, the Chief Engineer, is reported to have been drowned.—Reuter.

Japanese Make Gains in Central Anhwei

(Continued from page 7)

Simultaneously, the Japanese forces who are reported to be approaching Kaifeng from the south-east are said to have been engaged by Chinese forces east of Chenliu and Tunghsu, two cities to the south-east of Kaifeng, where fighting is said to be progressing.

The fighting at Luyi, west of Pohsien, is reported to be at a standstill, owing to a heavy downpour of rain which is still continuing.—Reuter.

Japanese Claim Victory In Suiyuan

Ten Thousand Chinese Said To Have Been Routed

Tatung, June 4.

Routing 10,000 Chinese troops after a three-day battle, Japanese columns occupied Chingshuiho, 60 kilometres south of Suiyuan, at 11.30 o'clock in the morning of May 31, according to a delayed report received here this morning.

The Chinese troops were commanded by Generals Fu Tso-yi, Men Ping-yo, Shih Yu-shan and Ho Chu-kuo. Troops of the 101st Division commanded by Gen. Fu were defeated early in May near Holingor, 50 kilometres south of Suiyuan.

Receiving news that a large Chinese force was concentrating Chingshuiho and districts nearby, Japanese troops launched an attack on May 28. At midnight on May 30 the Chinese lines collapsed and they began falling back southward toward Shuichuanying along the Great Wall.

The Japanese vanguard entered Chingshuiho the next morning and continued to pursue the retreating Chinese toward Shuichuanying and Laoniuwan.—Domei.

THE Shanghai Hebrew Relief Society and Shelter House announce that the opening ceremony of the new Shelter House at 812 Rue Lafayette will take place on Sunday, June 12 at 5.30 p.m., reception from 4 to 7 p.m.

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N. China Development Company Expands

Hochu Kungssu Merged with Larger Corporation

Tokyo, June 4.

Ending three years of activity as the leading Japanese holding firm in North China, the Hochu Kungssu will be swallowed by the Y.350,000,000 semi-official North China Development Company sometime this summer.

The Hochu Kungssu was established in 1935, as a subsidiary of the South Manchuria Railway Company. Mr. Shinji Sogo, formerly a director of the S.M.R., has been its president.

The activities of the Hochu Kungssu will be divided among the auxiliary companies of the projected vast concern.—Domei.

British Inspector Found Dead in Tel-Aviv

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Jerusalem, June 4.

A British police inspector, Mr. James Gordon, has been found shot dead in his residence near Tel-aviv, a Jewish township north of Jaffa. A revolver was lying near the body of the dead man.—Reuter.

N.Y.K. Said Flooded With Freight Demands

Overwhelmed by orders for shipping space, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha is urging exporters in Kobe and Osaka to refrain from sending their goods to Shanghai for the present, the "Shanghai Mainichi" reported yesterday.—Domei.

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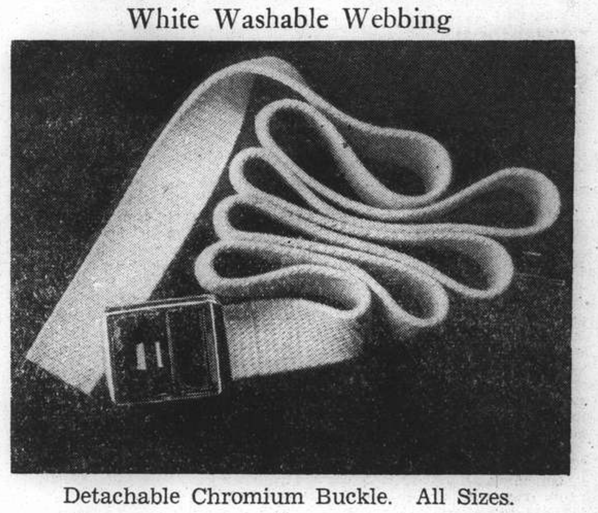

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Diplomacy

MR. Winston Churchill is credited with the following definition of a Parliamentary candidate:

"A man who is asked to stand wants to sit and is expected to lie."

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A Certainty

A YOUTHFUL-looking candidate at a General Election, on rising to address a meeting, was greeted with the question, "Does your mother know you're out?" "Yes," replied the candidate, "and when the results are out, she'll know I'm in."

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Matter of Dress

A LADY of recently acquired wealth was discussing with an artist the portrait of herself which she had asked him to paint.

"Shall I paint you in evening dress?" the artist enquired.

"Oh, no," replied the lady, "don't make any fuss at all—just wear your overalls."

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Sea Note

DURING the storm the mate ordered Sandy to go out on the bowsprit. Sandy refused.

"Don't you know," growled the mate, you signed to sail before the mast?"

"Oh, ay, sir," replied Sandy. "I signed to sail before the mast, but no' before the ship."

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Per Pro

THE message boy was new, and when they sent him to deliver his first parcel, they gave him express instructions that he had not to part with the package without getting a signature.

When he returned, the manager inspected his delivery book, and noticed that it was signed with the lad's own name.

"What's this?" he asked sharply. "This is your own name."

"Oh, that's all right," returned the youth reassuringly. "The old lady had left her glasses upstairs, so I had to sign for her."

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Says Mr. Peppercorn :—

WHEN women talk on the 'phone they don't seem able to stop—they always want "another three minutes please" and can be very upset when they're cut off at the end of a quarter of an hour.

I was waiting outside a call box the other day and a woman inside had taken a long lease of the premises.

When she did come out she found she'd left pencil and paper and her glasses, and I had to wait while she collected them.

I got in at last and found her umbrella in one corner and her bag on the floor and was able to hand them over before she got right away.

It was all through being cut off, she said, and something ought to be done about it, but I didn't hear what, as I was in a hurry and cut her off.

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An Artistic Flurry

DEAR I. P.—

Hast thou ever paused, in the jollity of thy heart, to ruminate on thy occasional insipience and consider how unbeseeming it is to make so slight account of the claims of poetic minorities as to exclude them from thy territory? What dost thou expect to reap thereby? Nothing but destitution of humour.

What virtue is there in making versifiers like unto those who bring the pestilence into a country, as Homer writeth that the plague was sent into the camp of the Greeks by Apollo?

Hast thou observed that since the date of thy circumvention no rhymer worthy of the name durst set his "foot" within thy domain, so truly hast thou empoisoned his existence? Or was thy ire roused by the profanity brought into thy sanctum by certain discordant rhymsters of whom it may be pondered that *"necessarium ad aeternam salutem quod discunt grammaticum et prosodiam ex poetis sicut sunt* Ludovicus Wyndham, Felicia Hemans, Isaacus Watts, *Nos et alii?."* Rhymers can also break a jest or two for the delectation of thy readers even when they are kept speechless in a purgatory of ostracism. And those that will scoff at them, let them be accounted kill-joys, feast-troublers and marrers of mirth.

Or is it because they have smacked their lips at each other in mutual disapprobation?

But, I. P., what about the semi-revolution by which the Royal Academy appears to be convulsed? Does there not loom behind it the eternal conflict of artistic theories, of the sensuous and the imaginative elements, of technical skill and the unbridled expression of ideas, akin to all the fine arts? In the exercise of their prerogative, are not the grave and austere wielders of brush, paint and canvas, now holding forth and turmoiling themselves?

But there is an explanation of all this, in that poets like philosophers are difficult subjects for reproduction, save when their deformed outward appearance is so rubbed over or concealed as to justify a verdict of incorrect perception?

Whereunto does this mild expostulation tend? That thou, I.P., shouldst, without further disdain, reopen thy repertory, and, like Silenus, welcome the following octave and sextet, the object whereof is to unriddle the enigma that lies at the bottom of the recent storm in the daubers' pot.

IMPROMPTU
(Inscribed to that inelyte Academy yclept Royal)

That which a thing of beauty is to Thee
May seem to distant vision the reverse.
And what from genius flows bespeak far worse
Than child of flippant mediocrity.
Who will the test of real worth decree?
Make answer, Muse! and help us now rehearse
Our visual skill.....and fallacy disperse
That blinking virtuosos may agree!
Of truthful art on canvas to succeed,
Had never modern artists all such need,
Meeter for them their venturous hand to try
At fresh creations, and with tactful eye.
But they who Poets' forms would paint or trace
Must shift their point of view.... from paunch to face!

— JACK AND JILL.

A BEAUTIFUL BLONDE WAS ARRESTED IN THE U.S.A.—
—ANOTHER WAS EXPELLED FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA
—CANTON DETAINED AN AFRICAN GIRL
—THE SOVIETS SUSPECT BOTH BLONDES AND BRUNETTES—
—SAMSON'S STORY WAS APPARENTLY A GOOD LESSON TO ALL.
SAPAJOU

BY SAPAJOU

The Beautiful Spies

British Labour Law As U.S. Model

President Roosevelt Explains Nature of Study Commission

Washington, June 3.

President Roosevelt today denied that his commission, which will study British labour legislation this summer, was formed for making possible amendents to the Wagner Act.

The President said seven or eight unnamed Americans would study the British Trades Unions Dispute Act.

He said the study of the problem of labour legislation was his own idea. It was designed to supply Americans with accurate information on the British methods of handling labour disputes, he said.

The whole subject of labour relations was evolutionary, the President remarked. He also said that the United States was far behind Britain in this evolution.

C.I.O. Leader Objects

Coincidently, Mr. John J. Lewis, President of the Committee for Industrial Organization, published a letter which he had sent to Miss Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labour, opposing the study.

Mr. Lewis said that he was flatly opposed to any investigation which might make a basis for a change in the Wagner Act.

He said the C.I.O. will "oppose any amendent or modification of the Wagner Act."

President Roosevelt refused to comment on reports that the group which will conduct the study of the British labour legislation includes Mr. Charles Siegal Swope, president of the West Chester State Teachers College, and Mr. Lloyd Garrison, Dean of the University of Wisconsin Law School.

He said the committee will not include employers, labour leaders or Government officials.—United Press.

Refugee Situation in Shantung

Missionaries Supervise Sanitation and Health

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

Chowtsun, Sung., May 25.

We recently completed a four months period of help to some 200-250 refugees from flooded villages mainly in the county of Pohsing. Something like seven classes were held daily, with kindergarten work for the younger children. The Foster Hospital staff gave much assistance in health supervision and vaccinations. There were a few cases of smallpox, but fortunately contagion did not spread.

These sturdy Shantung peasants went through the cold winter months without a fire of any kind even in the main assembly hall, and now they have gone back to what is left of their villages, but with practically no hope of the break in the Yellow River being repaired.

The outlook in the affected area is extremely serious indeed, the flow of water in the new channel being already greater than in the old river bed. What will happen when the heavy summer rains come is not pleasant to contemplate.

There have been some changes in this small community recently. Mrs. Flowers with two children and Miss A. M. Smurthwaite have left for furlough, while Miss E. M. Johnson, a new recruit from England, has arrived in Chowtsun, after a course of study at the Peiping Language School. Nurse Wheal has just returned from furlough, and her colleague, Nurse Logan, will be leaving in July for the same purpose.

In the political sphere there is little to report. Guerilla warfare followed by reprisals more or less sums up the situation.

A day or two ago a very welcome though slight rain fell making the prospects for the wheat harvest a little more promising. The autumn crops have been sown and are coming up nicely. There were very few big winds in March this year, but April and May more than made up for this lack. The countryside seems full of beggars.

Gudenberg Still Mystery In U.S. Spy Ring Case

Alleged Stowaway Fails To Disembark in Reich

Berlin, June 4.

The German liner Hamburg has arrived at Cuxhaven and has disembarked her passengers.

No information is forthcoming regarding the man Gudenberg, who is alleged to have stowed away in the ship before she left New York. Nothing is known of his arrival or present whereabout although the master of the ship told the police at Cherburg that Gudenburg was aboard and that he would be disembarked at Hamburg.

Gudenburg is said to be involved in the international spy ring case, which United States officials are now investigating. There is a warrant out for his arrest on charges of violating the World War Espionage Statute.—Reuter.

Heavy Bail Asked

Bail of $2,600 was demanded by the Federal Grand Jury from the captains of the two German vessels Chemnitz and Hindenburg, who will be called upon to testify at the hearing of the huge spy investigation. The two captains are Herren Heinrich Lorenz and Franz Frisky.

Bail of $10,000 was asked from Herr Christian Danielson, industrial drawer of Bath, Maine, where a large number of warships are constructed. Mr. Lamar Hardy, who is in charge of the investigation, declared that Danielson owned large properties in Germany.—Havas.

Dust Storm Does Havoc To S. Hokkaido

Entire Area Plunged Into Darkness During Morning

Tokyo, June 4.

A terrific dust storm swept the western part of Tokachi Province in southern Hokkaido this morning, plunging the entire area into darkness, giving the effect of a total eclipse of the sun.

The storm resulted in considerable inconvenience to traffic, in addition to causing a great deal of damage, while some casualties are probable.

The storm is reported to have started west of Mount Tokachi at about 6.30 a.m.—Reuter.

War Refugees Returning to Amoy from Cave Shelters

Formosan Tells of Reign of Terror Before Naval Landing Party Took Island ; City Little Damaged

WAR-FRIGHTENED residents of Amoy are gradually leaving their refuges in caves, in the hills east of the city, as peace and order steadily solidify their hold on the Fukien port. Amoy still, however, presents a ragged appearance, as all of its richer folk have migrated to the Kulangsu International Settlement.

Even in the main thoroughfares, such as Chungshan Road, one seldom meets well-dressed people. One's eye meets only bedrabbled men, women and children, tramping the streets in search of shelter from rain.

This graphic picture of conditions in the southern city was drawn for the Japanese press yesterday by a person who has just returned from Amoy. Neither his name nor nationality were given.

Chinese troops, this person said, had offered practically no resistance to the Japanese naval landing party before withdrawing to the mainland.

City Suffers Little

Amoy suffered but little in the two-day hostilities, he added, only buildings used for military purposes having received their scars of war.

Among the damaged structures, he said, were the Naval Station Headquarters, on Chungshan Road; the Changchow-Amoy Garrison Headquarters, on Mt. Huki, and the Amoy University.

Numerous barricades constructed at great expense long before the handing of Japanese bluejackets are now covered with advertisements of moving pictures.

Quoting a Formosan headman of the village of Lutso, on the island, the arrival said that the Central troops poured into Amoy shortly after the outbreak of hostilities in North China last year.

These soldiers, the Formosan was quoted as saying, had examined every resident of the island, in an effort to ferret out all sysmpathizers with Japan.

"Good Citizen Certificates"

Those who passed the rigorous test were issued "Good Citizen Certificates." The suspects, the report said, were either thrown into jail or shot dead on the spot.

The number of these unfortunate people was put by the arrival at about 30 Formosans and more than 100 Chinese.

The Formosan, who spoke fluent Japanese and resembled a Japanese in appearance, was questioned for several days before he was given the precious certificate.

Last August, the Formosan continued, the Chinese troops began to build fortifications along the shore, and all civilians were kept out of the area.

The Chinese soldiers had also told the residents of Amoy that the Japanese would, on their landing on the island, massacre all the Chinese.

The Formosan was quoted as saying that he had told all his friends that the Japanese would harm no one. He was not believed, however, even by his own frightened wife and children, who took refuge in Kulangssu.

This flight, he pointed out, however was caused not by fear of the Japanese but of Chinese looters.

Seventy per cent. of the population of the Formosan's village were said to have fled to Kulangssu.

Japan to Buy More Raw Materials

Foreign Exports Will Be Pressed to Gain Exchange Credits

Tokyo, June 4.

Japan's purchases abroad will be increased, to enable the country to expand its sales in foreign markets, the new Finance Minister, Mr. Seihin Ikeda, today told the press in his first important pronouncement on policy.

Increased purchases abroad, he intimated, was expected to give a powerful stimulus to Japan's presently lagging exports.

Officials of the Treasury and the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, which he heads concurrently, are now preparing concrete measures for increasing Japan's purchases of raw cotton abroad, Mr. Ikeda revealed. Later, definite steps will be taken to increase purchases of other important raw materials, needed by Japan's export industries.

A recommendation to revise drastically the existing restrictions on the importation of materials required by non-military industries was made four days ago in a petition presented to the Treasury by five powerful economic organizations, including the Japan Economic Federation, whose membership comprises every prominent industrial and commercial concern in the country.

China Charter Companies

Treasury officials today also revealed that the shares of the projected North and Central China Development Companies will be sold through the member-organizations of the Banking Syndicate. Originally the shares will be sold exclusively through the Industrial Bank of Japan. The syndicate includes all the leading private banks.

In view of the appointment of Mr. Ikeda to the Finance portfolio, the chairmanship of the Central China Development Company which he held previously, would now be given to Baron Seinosuke Goh, who already heads the organizing committee of the North China firm.—Domei.

Foreign Exchange Wanted

Tokyo, June 4.

The Ministries of Finance and Commerce and the Cabinet Planning Board are jointly formulating a plan for the restriction of exports of Japanese manufactured goods to Manchoukuo and North China, according to the "Industrial Daily News."

The Japanese Government, states the journal, desires that Japanese exports be directed to other countries, presumably because of the vital necessity of building up its foreign exchange funds.—Reuter.

West Derbyshire By-Election

London, June 3.

The by-election at W. Derbyshire, caused by the succession to the dukedom of Devonshire of Lord Hartington on the death of his father, has resulted in the return of another Conservative, Mr. Henry Hunloke.

In a three-cornered contest, Mr. Hunloke polled 16,740 votes compared with 11,260 votes for the Labour candidate, Alderman C. F. White, and 6,515 votes for Mr. Milner Gray, Liberal.

Lord Hartington, who had represented the division since 1922, was returned unopposed at the 1931 and 1935 General Elections.—Reuter.

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Chartered Bank's New Strong Room

Modern Safe Deposit is Air-Water-Tight, Fire- And Bomb Proof

The new safe deposit of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China was declared open at a ceremony at 12.30 p.m. yesterday by Mr. R. D. Murray, the manager. In his opening speech, Mr. Murray explained the bank's need for increasing its existing services by the installation of this modern equipment and, by this means, offering the general public of Shanghai a place of security for valuables. A reception followed the opening ceremony.

The strong room, which has been specially designed to meet local needs, is 65 feet long and 25 feet high. The ceiling, flooring and surrounding walls are reinforced with bars of spiral steel of the "Chatwood Patent" type.

The main and emergency doors are supplied by the Chatwood Safe Company, and are constructed to resist every known method of attack by burglars, including mechanical tools such as the electric drill and cutters, and even the oxy-acetylene blow torch. The two doors are the only entrances to the strong room and when they are closed the room is water-tight, air-tight, fire-proof and bomb-proof.

The equipment consists of 2,044 safe deposit lockers of various sizes, with satin-chrome-plated steel doors; the doors need no oiling or greasing, a new feature of distinct advantage, for customers run no risk of getting oil or grease on their clothes. The locker doors are fitted with special bronze dual-control safe deposit locks, each with two key holes, one for the bank's guardian key, the other for the renter's key. These locks are of the latest kind and of a type hitherto unknown in Shanghai.

Steel Shelves

At the middle height of the rows of safe deposit lockers are a number of pull-out steel shelves, again a new feature in local safe deposit equipment. They form very convenient tables for the use of renters and are also effective decorative features in the strong room.

At one end of the room are seven private strong rooms, with steel partitions and doors. Each of these rooms is fitted with a dual-control lock, as in the case of the lockers; a steel shelf; a desk; and a chair. Each room, in fact, is a private strong room within the main strong room, the first time in Shanghai such an idea has been applied.

Ventilation is provided by special conduits built around the main and private strong rooms and operated by a powerful blower fan. The room itself is fitted with specially-constructed chromium steel consulting desks with glass partitions and decorative mirrors. A portable steel ladder enables renters to reach the top row of lockers.

The ceiling is of polished steel finish and the flooring of Moultile, while the room itself is illuminated by a very attractive form of beam lighting. The entire equipment is considered a very fine example of the latest engineering work of its kind and a valuable asset to the bank. The contractors responsible for the strong room are:—

Sin Woo Shing Iron & Steel Works, co-operative manufacturers for Chatwood Safe Co., Ltd., Shrewsbury, England; Shanghai Waterworks Fittings Co., Ltd.; General Electric Co. (of China), Ltd.; Getz Bros.; Malcolm & Co.; and Koo Tse Kee.

The general lay-out, design and supervision of the work was in the hands of the bank's own staff.

German External Debt Payment to Continue

Rumour of Default Denied In Commons Statement

London, June 3.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Simon, was asked today in the House of Commons if he could state whether the German Government intended to default on their external debt.

Sir John replied: "So far as I am aware, there is no foundation for the rumour referred to recently in certain newspapers that the German Government intended to default on their external debt as it existed prior to the incorporation of Austria into the German Reich."

The Chancellor added, in reply to another part of the question that, as regards Austrian loans, he had nothing to say beyond the terms of the communique on the Anglo-German trade and financial talks issued on Wednesday night which expected resumption in negotiations at an early date.—Wireless through Reuter.

European Steel Cartel to Be Reconstituted

Brussels, June 4.

An agreement has been reached between Belgian steel makers regarding the distribution of the domestic steel quota, thus removing the final obstacle to the reconstitution of the International Steel Cartel, as from July 1.—Reuter.

P. & O. Liner Due This Morning

Aramis, Agapenor, Chile, Should Arrive Tomorrow; Ramses, Arabia Leaving

Having left Kobe on Friday, the R.M.S. Carthage should arrive at buoys 12-13, today at about 8.30 a.m.; her passengers arriving at the Customs Jetty at about 10 a.m. Stopping here for two days, she will sail homewards on Tuesday by the way of Hongkong, Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Bombay, Aden, Port Said, Malta, Marseilles, Casablanca, Gibraltar and London. Passenger tender leaves the Customs Jetty at 10.30 a.m. and will not accept any heavy luggage which should be delivered to the tender at the Customs Jetty tomorrow between 2 and 3 p.m. Custom permits are required for all nailed cases.

Local Offices of M.M. announce that their liner Aramis arrives from Kobe at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf tomorrow at 7 a.m. and her passengers should reach the Customs Jetty at about 7.30 a.m. She sails for Hongkong, Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Djibouti, Suez, Port Said and Marseilles on Tuesday at 4 a.m. while the outgoing passengers are to embark tomorrow in the afternoon. Foreign registered mail to catch this ship should be posted before 1 p.m., the China registered before 2.30 p.m. and ordinary by 3 p.m. tomorrow.

Agapenor Arrives

With passengers and cargo from Liverpool and way ports, the Blue Funnel ss. Agapenor makes port tomorrow at about 11 a.m. berthing at Holt's Wharf. Her passengers should reach the Customs Jetty by 12.30 p.m. She leaves on or about June 8 for Japan ports.

According to latest information received from the N.Y.K. their ss. Hakozaki Maru arrives from Europe and way ports tomorrow in the afternoon and leaves on Tuesday noon for Kobe and Yokohama. The D.K.K. Tsingtao Maru leaves today at 11 a.m. for Tsingtao and Dairen. Another today's sailing is the ss. Canton Maru which leaves for Formosa (Keelung and Takao) today at 9 a.m.

Silver Line mv. Silverteak is due from New York at the Texas Co. Wharf, tomorrow in the morning. She will discharge her Shanghai cargo at Holt's Wharf on Tuesday and leave on or about June 10 for Hongkong, Philippine Islands, Java, Straits, Colombo and Atlantic Ports via Cape of Good Hope.

Lloyd Triestino freighter Arabia leaves the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf, today at 8 a.m., for Japan ports. N.D.L. freighter Alster is expected from Europe and way ports on Wednesday morning at the Old Ningpo Wharf where she is to discharge her Shanghai cargo and then sail to Japan after some two days' stay in this port.

Ramses Sails

Hamburg Amerika Line mv. Ramses sails homewards today at 10 a.m. from buoys 15-16. Passenger tender leaves the Customs Jetty at 9 a.m. she will call at Genoa, Marseilles, Antwerp, Rotterdam and Hamburg. The same company's mv. Assuan is due from Hamburg and ports at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf today at 10 a.m.

East Asiatic Company Ltd. expect their mv. Chile from Europe and way ports tomorrow in the morning at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf. She is to stop in this port until tomorrow evening or next morning and then sail to Japan.

American-Oriental Line mv. Lossiebank is to leave the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf this evening or tomorrow morning for Hongkong, Manila, Singapore on her way to New York. Lacey and Cannan Ltd. are agents for the Ellerman Line steamer City of Lyons which is scheduled to sail from buoys 14-15 to Havre, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Glasgow, on June 8.

Coastal Departures

Sailing for Swatow, Hongkong and Canton, the Jardine Matheson & Co. ss. Kwaisang leaves the Roosevelt Terminal Wharf today at 3.30 p.m. The same company despatch ss. Sandviken from the same wharf today also at 3.30 p.m. to Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin.

The B. & S. ss. Soochow is now to sail from the French Bund today at 4 p.m. for Swatow, Hongkong, Canton, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong. Mail intended to catch any of these three vessels should be posted today before 10 a.m.

Among those who sailed in the ss. Shengking for the North China ports yesterday, were:

Mr. N. S. McBain, Mr. G. Sale, Mr. Walker, Mr. Leach, Mr. Gibbings, Mrs. Voelker and son, Lieut.-Cmdr. and Mrs. Burnett, Mr. L. P. Knoedler, Mrs. M. A. Grant, Mr. P. Mertens, Mr. T. G. C. Knight, Mr. Villars, Mr. Higgs, Mr. M. O. Liddell, Mr. G. M. Cameron, Mr. A. J. Grant, Lieut.-Col. Rouselle, Mr. J. L. R. Mair, Mrs. Penton, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Hamp and two children, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Melton, Mr. and Mrs. Koroleff.

Mr. Vander Borght arrived from Chinwangtao in the mv. Sygna on Friday.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Missions to Seamen's Flagday

One of the charming sellers of flags for the Missions to Seamen snapped yesterday as she found a willing customer on the Bund. She is Mrs. G. G. Forrestier.

Criticisms of New Customs Answered By Japanese Foreign Office

1931 Schedule Favours Foreign Powers at Expense Of Japan, Say Tokyo Officials; Figures Quoted

Tokyo, June 4.

Describing foreign criticism of the new customs tariff in North and Central China, alleging preferential treatment for Japan, as "sentimental or prejudiced," Japanese Foreign Office circles today challenged critics to adduce definite figures to substantiate their charges.

Foreign Office observers said the new Chinese tariff reverts to the first statutory tariff of China, that of 1931, from which Japan suffered most of all foreign Powers.

They pointed out that Japan up to 1930 occupied the foremost place in foreign trade with China, her exports to China in 1930 totalling $500,000,000, more than 26 per cent. of China's entire incoming trade.

But since the enforcement of the statutory tariff of 1931, they said, Japan's exports to China steadily declined, amounting to $450,000,000 in 1931, $230,000,000 in 1932, and $130,000,000 in 1933.

This explains the great disappointment voiced by Japanese traders over the new tariff in North and Central China, which reverts to the tariff of 1931, they declared.

Rates Compared

Comparing the new and old tariff rates, the Foreign Office circles said the new tariff gives a reduction of 30 per cent. to Japanese cotton piece goods, 44 per cent. to British, and 25 per cent. to American.

Other figures on reductions were given as follows: woollen fabrics:—Japanese, 11 per cent.; British, 12 per cent; chemicals:—Japanese, 12 per cent.; British, 13 per cent.; American, 14 per cent.; Sugar:—Japanese, 80 per cent.; British, 68 per cent.; American, 68 per cent.; Paper:—Japanese, four per cent.; British 36 per cent.; American, 44 per cent.; Porcelain:—Japanese, 18 per cent.; British, 15 per cent.; American, 12 per cent.; Sundries:—Japanese, 42 per cent.; British, 42 per cent.; American, 42 per cent.

It was pointed out that foreign Powers derive more benefits from the new tariff than does Japan, which receives no preferential treatment. The Foreign Office circles said Japan has no direct concern with 20 items of the tariff which was revised on January 20 by the "Provisional Government" and retained in the new tariff schedule, because they cover materials needed for relief work or rehabilitation.—Domei.

British Parliament Adjourns

London, June 4.

Parliament has adjourned until June 14.—Reuter.

Safety Zones for British Ships

Burgos Investigating Bombing of Vessels; Air Raids Deplored

London, June 3.

The bombing of British ships in Spanish waters and the horrors of the bombardment from the air of the civilian population in the Spanish civil war were raised this afternoon in a debate on the adjournment of the House of Commons for the Whitsun recess.

Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in a reply, said that following the recent heavy bombardments, His Majesty's Government had delivered a very strong protest and had asked the French Government and the Holy See to co-operate with them in their representations at Burgos. They were, at the same time, urgently considering other methods of action for preventing the terrible bombing which all civilized people deplored.

Independent Commission

They believed much could be done by force of public opinion and they were, therefore, considering the question of asking certain foreign governments to join in setting up a small independent commission which could hold itself in readiness to proceed to the scene of the aerial bombardment and to make an impartial investigation.

As to the bombing of British ships, they had received a reply from Gen. Francisco Franco which said the suggestion that a British ship had been deliberately selected for attack was devoid of any foundation whatever.

Mr. Butler added that he had information that the heads of the administration at Burgos were interesting themselves in this matter and were making a full enquiry into the circumstances of the attacks of which the British Government had complained.

Safety Zones for Ships

He hoped the nature of the reply indicated that the Burgos authorities realized the very serious view which His Majesty's Government took of the bombing of British ships.

Mr. Butler also mentioned that the Government were investigating the possibility of providing safety zones for British ships in Spanish ports.

Speaking of the non-intervention committee, the Under-Secretary said the Committee were now nearer an agreement on the British plan then they had ever been before.—Wireless through Reuter.

Mr. Sun Fo At the Hague

The Hague, June 4.

Mr. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, arrived at The Hague yesterday, where he was met by the Chinese Minister to the Netherlands Mr. Wunsz King. It is expected that Mr. Sun Fo will leave for China in a few days.—Reuter.

Peru Mobilizes Forces On Ecuadorian Border

Action Follows Clash on Frontier Dispute

Quito, June 3.

Peru today mobilized a strong military force on the frontier because of an armed clash as a result of the age-long boundary dispute with Ecuador, Gen. Frederico Hurtado, Minister of War, announced.

Ecuador, it was learned, also ordered reinforcements for the military garrison at Oro and Rocafuerte.

Government officials, however, were confident that the incident will be diplomatically settled without the spilling of blood.

While the antecedents of the dispute date back to 1563, the actual controversy between the Ecuadorian and Peruvian Governments followed 1830 after Ecuador separated from Greater Colombia. From 1830 to 1887 the boundary dispute was the subject of sporadic negotiations and gave rise to occasional protests, assertions and claims. In 1832 Peru and Ecuador signed at Lima a treaty of friendship and alliance which contained a clause proving that, "until such time as there is celebrated a convention concerning a boundary settlement between the two states, the present boundaries will be recognized and respected." Although this treaty was ratified by the two Governments it appears that ratifications were not formally exchanged.—United Press.

City Hails Extension Of Sino-U.S. Accord

Silver Buying Agreement Continuance Helpful

London, June 3.

"Now we know where we stand," stated one financier in voicing a general welcome to the American extension of the agreement to purchase additional silver from China. It is hoped the agreement will tend to strengthen Chinese exchange.

"The Times," in a leading article, says that pressing as China's need for some such arrangement was in 1936 it is now doubly so. Extension of the agreement should be of great assistance to the Chinese Government in its effect to maintain exchange under the war strain to which it is now subjected, and it will also remove the contingency of forced sales of silver by China in the world market.—Reuter.

SHORT WAVE RADIO

Today's Broadcasts

Daventry, England.—Trans. 1, from *13.00 to 15.15 o'clock*, 16.86 metres, 19.76m.; 19.82m.; 25.53m.; 31.55m. Trans. 2, *18.45 to 21.55*, 13.93m.; 13.97m.; 16.86m.; 19.82m.; Trans. 3, *22.00 to 1.00*, 13.93m.; 13.97m.; 16.86m.; 19.82m.; 25.53m.

Via Hongkong.—31.49m.

Berlin, Germany.—*13.05 to 24.00*, 31.28m.; 17.74m.; 16.89m.; 31.45m.; 19.63m.

Rome, Italy.—*19.00 to 21.30 and 23.00 to 00.20*, 25.4m.

Australia—Lyndhurst, Mon.-Sat. *10.35 to 21.30*, Sun., *16.00 to 20.30*, 31.34m.

Sydney, Sun., *14.00 to 16.00; 18.00 to 22.00*; Mon., *22.00 to 24.00*; 31.28m.

Melbourne, Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 22.00*, 31.50m.

Perth, Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 19.00*, 31.22m.

Paris, France.—*15.00 to 18.00*, 25.24m. *18.00 to 24.00*, 13.86m.; *00.15 to 7.00*, 25.34m.; *7.15 to 14.00*, 26.60m.

Hilversum, Holland.—Irreg., but generally: Daily, *08.00 to 10.00, 21.25 to 23.30*; Sun., *20.25 to 23.30, 03.00 to 04.00*, 16.88m.; 19.71m.; 31.28m.

Manila, P.I.—*6.30 to 9.00 and 19.00 to 23.00*, 25.38m.; 31.35m. Sunday, *18.00 to 24.00*.

Tokyo, Japan.—*13.00 to 14.30, 21.00 to 22.30*, 25.42m.; 19.79m.

Lisbon, Portugal.—*6.00 to 8.00*, 30.13m.

13.00 Whitsunday Service (D). Varied (E)
13.30 News, varied (T)
13.35 Recital by Empire Artists (D)
14.00 News in German (B)
14.15 "Trent Bridge Centenary" (D)
14.45 News (D)
15.00 News (B)
15.15 Songs and poems for Whitsun (B)
16.00 Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra (B)
16.50 Brass band (E)
17.00 Organ music (D)
17.30 News in German (B)
17.45 Concert (B)
18.45 C. of E. service (D).
19.00 British light music, 4 (D), Concert (B), News (P)
19.45 "Songs as Random" (D)
20.00 News (D), Concert (P)
20.15 Eugene Pini's Tango Orchestra (D)
20.55 "The Nightingale," a play (D)
21.00 News in German (B), Varied (T)
21.15 Sunday Evening Programme (B)
21.30 News (D), Concert (P), Organ music (B)
22.00 Lieder recital (D), News (B)
22.20 Falkman's Apache Band (D)
23.00 Dresden String Quartet (D), "Going to the Warres" (D)
23.30 Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra (B)
23.35 Light music (D)
23.45 News (D)
24.00 News (D)
00.10 Whitsunday service (D)
05.35 Shanties, sailor songs (D)
06.00 Special news 31.48 (M), (USA.), Varied (L)
06.05 The London String Players (D)
06.30 Varied (M)

THE Kiangsu Provincial Bank will be opened in Soochow some time in July under the auspices of the "Reformed Government," states a report to the "China Daily News." Messrs. Chen Tze-ming and Hsu Hsuan-kung are expected to be appointed governor and general manager of the Bank, respectively.

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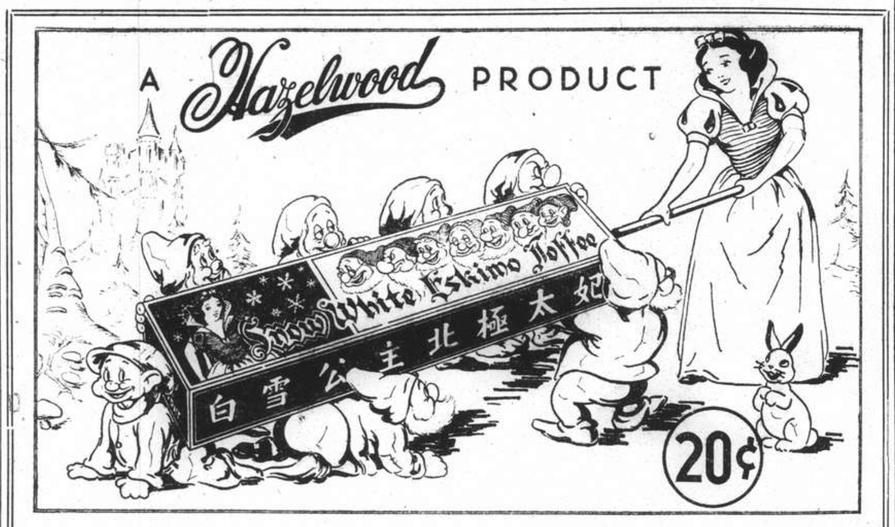

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FROM DAY TO DAY

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business on Monday, June 6.

THE Western Circle of The King's Daughters' Society will hold a meeting on Wednesday, June 8, at 9 Crescent Avenue, off Yu Yuen Road, at 10 a.m.

THE National Relief Commission, on orders from the Executive Yuan, has made arrangements for the repatriation of war refugees, who have of late flocked into the Wuhan cities, says a dispatch to the "Standard."

LIEUT.-COL. Rouselle, Military attache to the French Embassy in China, left for Tientsin in the ss. Shengking yesterday, proceeding to Peiping to relieve Lieut.-Col. Sabbatier who returns to France after having spent four years in China.

THE local offices of the Bank of China, on instructions from its head office in Hongkong, has declined to accept bank notes issued by the Farmers' and Industrial Bank and the Pao Shang Bank in Tientsin, says a message to the "Sin Wen Pao." The reason for this measure has not yet been divulged, says the report.

THE next meeting of the Shanghai Missionary Association will be held at St. John's University on Tuesday, June 7, 5.15 p.m. to 6 p.m.—Social Hour, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.—Devotions, Business Meeting, Address by Mr. Harry T. Silcock of the Friends Mission and Secretary of the British Universities China Committee, London.

MR. Pao Kwang-cheng, former Manchoukuo Ambassador to Japan, arrived in Shanghai from North China on June 2 in the ss. Dairen Maru, says a report to the "Life Daily News." Mr. Pao, who is now staying in the Astor House Hotel, will serve as liaison officer between the "Provisional Government" in Peiping and the "Reformed Government" in Nanking. His duty will be to hasten the amalgamation of the two regimes.

THE Central Supervisory Committee of the Kuomintang, at a meeting held on Friday, decided to reinstate 26 leaders who were excommunicated from the Kuomintang for various political offences in the past, says a dispatch to the "Standard." The group reconciled with the party, according to the dispatch, include such well known communist leaders as Messrs. Mao Cheh-tung, Chen Tu-hsiu, Kuo Mo-jo, Chou En-lai, Chang Kuo-tao, Tong Ying-chao, Kao Yu-han and Peng Shu-chih and General Yeh Chien-ying and China's "revolutionary diplomat," Mr. Eugene Chen.

THE Municipal Council has given notice that free inoculation against Cholera, for those who cannot afford their own Doctors, is available as follows :—Foreigners, Room 127, Administration Building, 223 Hankow Road, Daily during office hours (except Sundays). Chinese, Branch Health Offices situate :—270, North Fokien Road, (corner Tsepoo Road); 340, Hankow Road; 380, Avenue Road, (corner of Chengtu Road); 1360, Yu Yuen Road, from 2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. daily (except Sunday). 160, Markham Road; 435, Robison Road from 8.30 a.m. to noon (Except Sundays). Arrangements will be made, on request to the nearest Branch Health Office or to the Commissioner of Public Health, for employees of large firms to be inoculated on the premises.

THERE will be a meeting of the Shanghai Municipal Council on Wednesday, June 8 at 4.30 p.m.

AN International Child Protection Congress will be held in Frankfurt (Main) from June 12 to 18 under the patronage of Dr. Joseph Goebbels and under the chairmanship of the Belgian Minister of State, M. Jaspar.

MR. Tseng Yu-chun, a leader of the now defunct Anfu Party, has been appointed a member of the National Relief Commission, says a dispatch to the "Morning Leader." The Anfu Party, it may be recalled, was a pro-Japanese organization in the days of the Peking Government.

BERLIN'S requirements in coal increased steadily in recent years from 5,900,000 tons in 1936 to 7,600,000 tons last year. This big rise reflects the growing prosperity of the German capital and its increasing importance as an industrial centre.

THE monthly Communion service at Union Church today will be celebrated after the evening service at six o'clock in the Church Hall, and not after the morning service as erroneously stated in yesterday's issue.

AN opportunity will be given to residents of listening to the splendid band of the 1st Battalion of the Seaforth Highlanders under the able direction of the bandmaster Mr. E. G. Baker, A.R.C.M., this morning between 11 and noon, when they are giving a concert on the lawn in front of the Race Club grandstand. Last Sunday's concert was greatly appreciated.

MR. Richard Archbold, American explorer, arrived in Honolulu on Friday in his giant flying-boat from San Diego, and said he never intended flying over any Japanese mandated islands. This is in reply to a Tokyo despatch which said that the Japanese Navy did not welcome any foreign planes flying over Japanese mandated isles.

THE General War Aid Association formed by overseas Chinese has secured the permission of the Chairman of Kwangtung Provincial Government, General Wu Te-chen, for the conversion of Lionhsion, Lienshan, Yangshan, Hsiangso, and Kianghua into reclamation areas for the settlement of refugees, says a report to the "Life Daily News." The Association, it is also reported, has raised $500,000 for the project and has appointed General Li Fu-lin and Mr. Mei Kwang-pei Director and Deputy Director of the project.

"FORUM of the Second Reich" will be constructed at the "Grosser Stern" square in the Berlin Tiergarten park in the course of the rebuilding of the German capital. The centre of the square will be the "Column of Victory" commemorating the German victory in 1870-71 which has to give way to the construction of a big square and assembly hall for mass meetings on its present site. The column will be surrounded by statues of great statesmen and generals of the Hohenzollern Empire. The statues of Brandenburg electors and Prussian kings, situated up to now in the "Alley of Victory" will become part of the new "South-North Axis." Work for the reconstruction of Berlin will start on June 14 at eleven points simultaneously.

Duchess Inspects St. John's Ambulance

H.R.H. the Duchess of Gloucester, wearing her brigade uniform of Deputy Commandant-in-Chief of the Nursing Corps and Division, inspecting the St. John's Ambulance men at Marylebone in London. She is accompanied by Major-General Sir John Duncan, who will be remembered in Shanghai as the first commander of the Shanghai Defence Force.

Twenty-three Are Ordained Priests

Siccawei Church is Scene Of Impressive Ritual ; Nine Nationalities in Group

At an impressive ceremony in St. Ignatius' Church, Siccawei, Bishop Auguste Haouisée, S.J., Vicar Apostolic of Shanghai, conferred the Sacrament of Priesthood yesterday morning upon 23 candidates, twenty of whom are members of the Society of Jesus (Jesuit Order). Three Chinese Fathers Peter Kiong, Stephen Li and Matthew P'é, were ordained.

Altogether nine nationalities were represented in the group ordained.

The following Jesuits were raised to the priesthood:—

The Rev. H. Benaitreau, French; the Rev. C. Braunmandl, Austrian; the Rev. P. Cerutti, Italian; the Rev. E. R. Diez, Spanish; the Rev. J. Diniz, Portuguese; the Rev. P. Faury, French; the Rev. H. M. Garcia, Spanish; the Rev. J. Goncalves, Portuguese; the Rev. S. Gorospe, Spanish; the Rev. F. Jaureguizar, Spanish; the Rev. E. Kekessy, Hungarian; the Rev. H. de Kort, Netherlander; the Rev. P. Kretsch, French; the Rev. J. de Leffe, French; the Rev. E. Molnar, Hungarian the Rev. J. O'Farrell, American; the Rev. J. Onate, Spanish; the Rev. A. Palacios, Spanish; the Rev. A. Tchou, Chinese; and the Rev. J. Urresti, Spanish.

Two of the Fathers, the Rev. J Goncalves and the Rev. J. Diniz, are natives of Shanghai.

The new priests will serve in various Apostolic Vicariates in China and (one) in Java, Netherlands East Indies. The Chinese Vicariates are those of Shanghai, Sienhsien, Pengpu, Anking, Wuhu, and Taming.

Japanese Declare War On Armed Junks

Peaceful Fishermen to Be Left Undistrubed

Charging an extension of "guerilla warfare seawards," a Japanese naval spokesman yesterday announced that the Japanese Navy will deal "mercilessly" with Chinese armed junks, although peaceful fishermen will be permitted to carry on their profession undisturbed.

The announcement followed receipt of a report that six large junks armed with cannon and rifles and protected by steel sheetings attacked Japanese blockade vessels off Kwanghoi, south-east of Canton, on Friday, precipitating an engagement. Three junks were set on fire and one disabled by Japanese aerial bombs, the spokesman stated.

The Japanese navy, the spokesman declared, "is not only determined to wipe out such armed junks but is fully equipped to carry out its determination."

Japanese naval bombers raided aerodromes at Pucheng, Kiennow, Changting and Lungki, inflicting heavy damage on them, the spokesman said.

THE National Gregg Association in London is today celebrating the Golden Jubilee of Gregg shorthand and one feature of the celebration will be a banquet in honour of Dr. and Mrs. Gregg at the Great Hotel Central in London. The Gregg School of Business, Shanghai, has cabled the following message: "Students in wartorn China send heartiest Jubilee greetings to Dr. Gregg and wish him continued long life and happiness in his great work for the improvement of world business."

S.S.P.C.A. Hold Tea At A.W.C.

Lady Mossop Appeals for Support of Society ; Fund Needed for Good Work

The S.S.P.C.A. Bridge and Mahjong Tea held under the patronage of Lady Mossop, at the American Women's Club on Friday proved a great success. During the tea interval Lady Mossop addressed those present as follows:—

"I promise not to detain you for more than a few moments. You are all aware of the purpose of this afternoon's bridge and mahjong drive, and the sub-committee in charge of the arrangements desires to extend to all of you a most cordial welcome in the name of our dumb friends, whom it is our aim and object to help and protect.

"It is our sincere hope that this afternoon's effort may result in an appreciable increase in the society's membership, as it is only by an increase in its membership that the society can hope to acquire the funds essential to the carrying on and the extension of its much needed work.

"The amount of time and labour given by the ladies and gentlemen on the several committees, as well as by the society's energetic Secretary and Inspector, is truly amazing; and we may well be proud of the strides heretofore made by the society in the work of animal welfare and protection. But there is still a great deal more that can be achieved, provided we can raise the funds; and this requires an increase in our membership. I would therefore appeal to each one of you individually to do her utmost to help. Remember that the society is a truly international one, and that men and children of all nationalities and sections of the community are welcomed on the roll of members.

Funds Needed

"A life membership costs $20 and for ordinary membership the annual subscription is $5. Children may become junior members by paying an annual subscription of $1.

"In conclusion I should like to say that donations to the society's funds will at all times be gratefully acknowledged. Should any ladies this afternoon wish to donate their winnings towards the funds, I feel sure that the same would be very cheerfully and fully accepted by Mrs. Ricks, the secretary."

The prizes were then presented by Lady Mossop.

1.—Mahjong Prize. A watch donated by Messrs. Alexander Clark, won by Mrs. Bell.

Consolation Mahjong Prize. Lacquer desk set donated by Mrs. L. W. Brace, won by Mrs. Kempton.

1.—Contract Bridge Prize. Teacloth and serviettes donated by Mr. K. E. Newman, won by Mrs. W. M. Gande.

Consolation Contract Bridge Prize. Cigarette box and match case donated by Mr. E. C. Robinson, won by Mrs. A. V. White.

Auction Bridge Prize. Porcelain bowl from "Anonymous" won by Mme. Guillemot.

After the presentation of prizes a bouquet of flowers was presented to Lady Mossop by Mary Barton as a small token of the society's appreciation.

250 Jews Arrested in Vienna in Week

Vienna, June 4.

Authoritative circles here declared today that 250 Jews were arrested here this week, due to normal judicial action against Jews guilty of violating the exchange laws or for alleged anti-Nazi activities.—Havas.

A.W.C. Garden Party Proves Success

Many Enjoy Function in Perfect Weather

Perfect weather favoured the members of the American Women's Club and their guests at the annual garden party which was held yesterday afternoon. Cool breezes tempered the sunshine and it was an afternoon the like of which Shanghai does not often experience in June. The pleasant function took place in Mrs. A. C. Cornish's beautiful garden at 1 Route Ghisi.

Mrs. Cornish is president of the club this year, and headed the receiving line, in which figured also Mrs. Yarnell, wife of Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, Commander-in-Chief of the American Asiatic Fleet, Mrs. Lockhart, wife of Mr. Frank P. Lockhart, Acting Consul-General for the United States in Shanghai, Mrs. Helmick, wife of Judge Milton J. Helmick, Judge of the United States Court for China, and Mrs. Ivor E. C. Hunter, retiring president of the club.

Tea was served in the garden, and presiding at the tables were Mrs. O. C. Lockhart, Mrs. W. H. Lunt, and Mrs. H. A. Wilbur.

Through the courtesy of Colonel Chas. F. B. Price and Officers of the Fourth United States Marine Corps, the band of the Corps played throughout the afternoon, thus adding immensely to the pleasure of a very delightful party.

Mitsubishi Dock Chief Arrives Here

To Inspect Japanese Work In Kiangnan Yard

Mr. Kyosuke Tamai, President of the Mitsubishi Dockyards in Nagasaki, arrived here on Friday afternoon in the Nagasaki Maru to inspect the Kiangnan Dockyards, where workers sent here by the Mitsubishi firm now are employed, the "Mainichi" said yesterday.

Also aboard the ship were Mr. Chozaburo Kodaka, a member of the House of Representatives, and Mr. Karoku Kuroda, Vice-Chairman of the Nagasaki Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Mr. Kodaka came to visit Japanese troops. In a previous tour of North China for the same purpose he went as far as Tatung.

Among the 311 passengers on the vessel were 12 workers of the Mitsubishi Dockyards who came to join the others employed at the Kiangnan Dockyards.

U.S. Senate Increases Relief Appropriation

Both Houses Now to Seek Compromise Measure

Washington, June 4.

By a vote of sixty votes to ten, the Senate today passed the $3,723,000,000 unemployment relief and industrial recovery bill. The bill passed by the Senate includes appropriations of $600,000,000 more than that in the measure adopted by the House of Representatives, thereby requiring a joint commission to seek a final bill satisfactory to both.—Havas.

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Britain Wins Walker Cup for First Time

Success in Singles Decides Matter; Ward Shoots Brilliant Golf to Beat Pennink by 12 and 11; Goodman Loses to Thomson

FOR the first time in the history of the competition, Great Britain won the Walker Cup yesterday when her golfers triumphed over the more fancied American contingent. Beginning the eight singles with a lead of one match established in the foursomes, the British players refused to be denied and carried off the trophy which for nine long years has been in America's possession. The most decisive singles victory, however, was that of Ward who beat Pennink, the English champion, by 12 and 11 while equalling the professional record of 67 with a brilliant exhibition.

The results of the singles, over 36 holes, were:—

Marvin Ward (America) beat Pennink (Great Britain) by 12 and 11.

Hector Thomson (Great Britain) beat Johnny Goodman (America) by 6 and 4.

Charles Yates (America) beat James Bruen (Great Britain) by 2 and 1.

Johnny Fischer (America) beat Leonard Crawley (Great Britain) by 3 and 2.

Gordon Peters (Great Britain) beat Reynolds Smith (America) by 9 and 8.

Carles Stowe (Great Britain) beat Charles Kocsis by 2 and 1.

WARD *v.* PENNINK

Ward			4	4	3	3	6	4	4
Pennink			4	4	4	4	6	4	5

Ward holed a 20-yard putt at the fourth. His devastating golf was too good for the English champion.

THOMSON *v.* GOODMAN

Thomson	4	4	4	4	5	3	3	3	4	4	4	5	4					
Goodman	3	4	4	3	5	4	4	3	4	4	4	4	5					

Goodman holed a long 'un at the first. Thomson began a brilliant spell in the sixth, in which he hold a 20-yard shot. He also holed an 8-yard putt in the ninth.

YATES *v.* BRUEN

Yates	4	4	4	4	5	4	4	4	4	3	4	5	5	4	4	4		
Bruen	4	4	3	5	4	4	4	4	4	5	2	4	5	5	4	4		

Yates missed a 5-foot putt at the seventh. Bruen went into a bunker at the 28th. He had a grand chance at the 31st, but missed a putt of less than two yards.

FISCHER *v.* CRAWLEY

Fischer	4	4	3	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	5	5	4	4		
Crawley	4	5	4	4	5	4	4	4	3	4	4	5	4	5	4	4		

While Fischer was holing out from all over the green, notably a 12-yard putt at the 31st, Crawley was erratic, and often found himself in the bunkers. The Englishman soon lost a substantial lead, and suffered an unexpected defeat.

PETERS *v.* SMITH

Peters	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	3	4
Smith	4	5	4	5	4	5	4	4	5

Peters holed from the edge of the green at the 23rd. The American stymied himself at the 26th, and then knocked Peters' ball into the hole. The Scot outplayed the American journalist.

First Eighteen Holes

St. Andrews, June 4.

The sky was overcast, there was a drizzle and a slight wind was blowing when play for the Walker Cup was resumed here today. The players carried towels. The positions at the 18th hole were:

Charles Yates (America) was three up against James Bruen (Great Britain).

Hector Thomson (Great Britain) was six up against Johnny Goodman (America).

Leonard Crawley (Great Britain) was four up against Johnny Fischer (America).

Charles Stowe (Great Britain) was one up against Charles Kocsis (America).

Marvin Ward (America) was nine up against Pennink (Great Britain).

Raymond Billows (America) was one up against Ewing (Great Britain).

Gordon Peters (Great Britain) was three up against Reynolds Smith (America).

A. T. Kyle (Great Britain) was one up against Fred Haas (America).

Thomson, with a card of 68, equalled the course record held by Bobby Jones.

Ward went round in 67, beating the amateur record set by Bobby Jones and equalling the professional record set by Willie Nolan.

The individual cards were:

Yates *v.* Bruen

Yates	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	4	4	3	4	5	5	4	4	5	3	
Bruen	4	4	3	4	5	4	3	3	4	3	4	4	5	6	4	4	5	4

At the second, Bruen got out magnificently from a bunker. At the fourth Bruen missed an 8-yard putt, and also missed holes he could have putted at the 12th and 13th. Bruen outdrove Yates, who was deadly in approaching. The American took three to putt from 12 yards at the 17th, but holed a 5-yard shot at the 18th.

Thomson *v* Goodman

Thomson	4	5	4	4	4	4	3	3	4	4	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	
Goodman	4	4	5	6	4	4	3	5	4	3	4	6	4	5	4	4		

Thomson's brilliancy, especially with the irons, held the crowd spellbound. Goodman was weak on the greens. Thomson holed an 8-yard shot at the 14th.

Crawley *v.* Fischer

Crawley	4	3	4	4	6	4	4	3	3	4	4	4	3	5	5	4		
Fischer	4	4	3	4	5	4	4	4	4	3	4	5	5	4	4	6	4	

Fischer half-stymied at the third. He holed a 3-yard shot, but took three to putt at the eighth. Crawley was magnificent on the greens, which were once his weakness.

Stowe *v* Kocsis

Stowe	4	5	4	4	4	4	3	3	4	4	4	5	4	5	5	3		
Kocsis	5	4	4	5	5	4	3	3	4	4	5	3	6	3	4	5	4	

Kocsis missed a one-yard putt at the first, and a 12-inch putt at the fourth. Stowe holed a 20-yard putt and Kocsis a 10-yard putt at the seventh. Kocsis holed a 10-yard shot at the 13th, but took three to put at the 14th. Stowe holed a 6-yard shot at the 18th.

Billows *v.* Ewing

Billows	4	6	4	4	4	5	4	3	3	3	4	5	5	5	4	5	5	
Ewing	3	5	6	4	6	5	4	3	4	3	3	4	5	5	6	3	5	4

Ewing started by finding the bunkers, and his putting was erratic. Although he holed a 20-foot shot at the first, he missed a 4-foot putt at the 15th and a 2-yard putt at the 18th. He holed a 4-yard shot at the 16th. Billows was stymied at the 13th.

Ward *v.* Pennink

Ward	4	4	3	4	3	4	4	3	3	3	4	4	5	4	4	4		
Pennink	5	4	4	4	4	4	3	5	4	3	4	5	3	4	5	5		

Pennink did not win a hole, which was not surprising in view of Ward's amazing hitting at deadlines and the greens. At the first he drove 340 yards, and holed a 20-yard shot at the 17th. Pennink was weak on the greens.

Peters *v.* Smith

Peters	5	5	4	4	5	3	5	3	4	3	4	4	4	5	4	4	5	4
Smith	4	5	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	5	6	5	5	4	4	

Smith was weak on the greens. Peters' drive in the fifth knocked the pipe out of a spectator's mouth.

Kyle *v.* Haas

Kyle	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	4	5	5	4	4	5	4	
Haas	5	4	4	5	5	5	4	3	4	3	4	6	5	4	4	4	3	

Kyle was amazing with his recoveries from erratic tee-shots, and was splendid in approaching, though he missed a one-yard putt at the 18th. —Reuter.

Britain's Foursomes Success

St. Andrews, June 3.

Great Britain's representatives, after a day of palpitating but sometimes indifferent golf, defeated the United States by two matches to one in the foursomes with one match halved.

The results were:

Johnny Fischer and Charles Kocsis (America) halved with H. C. Bentley and James Bruen after being three up at the end of the first 18 holes;

Gordon Peters and Hector Thomson (Britain) beat Johnny Goodman and Marvin Ward by 4 and 2 after being two up in the morning.

Charles Yates and Raymond Billows (America) beat A. T. Kyle and Charles Stowe by 3 and 2 after being five up in the morning;

Leonard Crawley and Frank Pennirk (Britain) beat Reynolds Smith and Fred Haas by 2 and 1 after being three up in the morning.

The fate of the Cup will be decided today, when eight 36-hole singles will be played. The draw is as follows:

Bruen *b.* Yates; Thomson *v.* Goodman; Crawley *v.* Fischer; Stowe *v.* Kocsis; Pennink *v.* Ward; Ewing *v.* Billows; Peters *v.* Reynolds Smith; Kyle *v.* Haas.

Greatest Battle

The greatest battle of the day was that between Bruen, the Irish wonder, and Bentley against Fischer and Kocsis. The British pair saved the match from the very jaws of death with a magnificent rally. They were two down and had only three to play, but undaunted they took the next two holes and then fell short of victory by three inches.

Bruen, who is not quite 18, was rather nervous at the start, but Bentley nursed him and held him together well.

With Fischer playing particularly well, the Americans started with four threes in a row. They lost the 11th, however, because Bruen holed a desperate long curling downhill putt for two.

The Americans finished the morning round three up, and were still three up at the eighth in the afternoon. Then at the ninth, Bentley holed a 30-foot putt for three, and Bruen for the second time holed a long putt for two on the same 11th green.

Remarkable Putting

That reduced the lead to one, but Kocsis promptly counter-attacked with a long putt for three at the 12th. The 13th was halved, and at the 14th Fischer holed a longish putt, but Bentley, with defeat staring him in the face, replied by holing out from ten feet.

It was Bruen's turn to hole a good one to save the match at the 15th, but still America led by two up with three to play.

The Britons won the 16th after Bentley had played a perfect pitch and Bruen sank a putt for a three, while at the 17th Bentley from the very outskirts of the treacherous green holed a long curving putt of fully 25 yards for a three to square the match.

Kyle Weak

The only Britons to lose today, Kyle and Stowe, never had a chance after a bad start. Kyle, in particular, played very poorly.

The British pair were five down at lunch, and were seven down at the fourth in the afternoon. They then staged a rally, but it was too late, and had to admit defeat by 3 and 2.

Thomson and Peters, who returned with the first British win, went off with a great rush against Johnny Goodman and Ward, of whom Ward seemed at first nervous and ill at ease. They were four up at the fifth hole, but after Ward had holed a nice putt the Americans fought back strongly.

The Britons were several times only two up, but Peters holed good putts from Thomson's fine pitches, and they finished the morning three up.

In the afternoon the Americans began very weakly with three fives in the first four holes. Both sides were out in 42, and the Britons had gained another hole. After that, they were never in danger.

Gallant Niblick Shot

Much indifferent golf was witnessed in the match between Crawley and Pennink against Reynolds Smith and Haas. Smith missed a couple of very very short putts, and the Englishmen were out in 39 to lead one up.

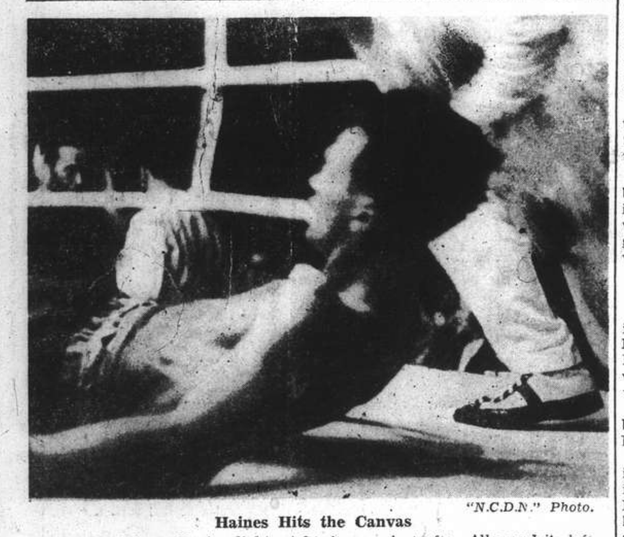
Coming home the home pair played better to finish the morning with a lead of three.

The Americans bestirred themselves in the afternoon and showed great improvement. But Crawley and the English champion refused to be harried and won at the 17th, when a gallant niblick shot by Smith and a putt by Haas came too late.

The cards of the second round of the various matches were:

Fischer																		
Kocsis	4	5	4	4	4	5	4	2	4	4	3	3	4	4	4	4		
Bentley	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	2	4	4	4	3	3	4	
Bruen																		
Peters																		
Thomson	5	5	4	5	5	4	7	3	4	4	3	4	4	5	5	3		
Goodman	4	4	5	5	7	5	4	4	4	5	2	4	3	5	5	5		
Ward																		
Yates																		
Billows	4	4	4	4	5	5	4	3	4	4	4	3	5	5	5	4		
Kyle	4	4	5	5	5	4	5	3	4	4	4	3	3	4	4	4		
Stowe																		
Crawley																		
Pennink	6	5	4	4	5	4	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	5	4	5		
Reynolds																		
Smith	3	6	4	3	5	4	5	4	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	5		
Haas																		

—Reuter.



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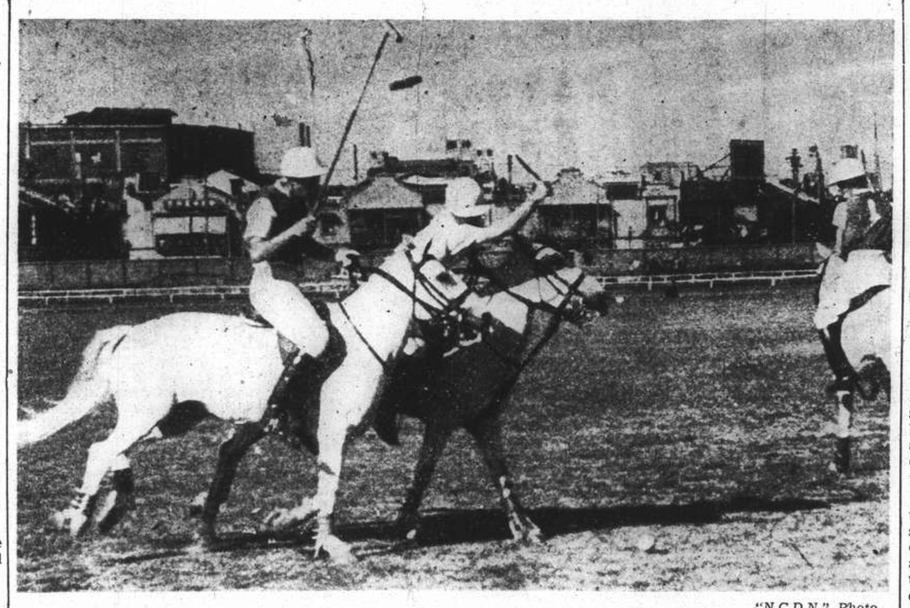
Haines Hits the Canvas

"Chuck" Haines, Marine lightweight, is seen just after Allessandri's left hand connected with his jaw to send him down for the full count in the rousing main event at the Canidrome boxing card on Friday night.



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Galloping Game Begins at Race Course

Action in the polo game yesterday in which Marines defeated the Durhams by eight to nothing. Chrys Moller, who filled in for the Marines, is seen nearest the camera trying to ride of an Army player.

Lawn Bowls League Play

Police Vanquish J.G.C.; Recs Defeat Lusitano; S.L.B.C. "Blue" Subdue Hongkew Golf Club

THE Shanghai Lawn Bowls Association League Matches reached a further stage yesterday, play taking place at Hongkew Park and the Race Course under perfect conditions. Two of the three matches resulted in 6 point victories, the Police beating the Junior Golf Club and the Recs overwhelming the Clube Lusitano by the same margin. The remaining League fixture, Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club (Blue) against the Hongkew Golf Club gave the former 4 points against the home team's 2.

The details of the games were as follows:—

POLICE		J. G. C.	
S. Wilkinson (skip)		A. J. Hodges (skip)	
A. B. Hogg		A. Evans	
R. C. Martin		W. Hale	
E. Markland	29	P. Ephgrave	6
C. J. Bull (skip)		R. Thomson (skip)	
J. T. Shields		C. Clements	
W. Hutton		W. Watson	
J. Campbell	22	K. L. Swartzell	14
W. J. MacDermott (skip)		P. Ephgrave (skip)	
J. Barry		R. S. Duff,	
W. H. Biggs		J. Walker	
J. J. Garvin	26	S. V. Heley	16
R. Conduit (skip)		A. D. Denton (skip)	
J. W. M. Dickson		H. Molloy,	
S. Craig,		J. Gaffney	
W. Robertson	27	A. R. Roberts	16
TOTAL	104	TOTAL	52

The 5th end saw the Junior Golf Club leading 15-10 but at the close of the 10th the score lay 23-47 against them and the 15th 40-73. Mr. Wilkinson's rink rather redeemed last week's rink rather redeemed last week's defeat by completing the day with a win of 29 shots to 6.

Recs Overwhelm Clube

Throughout the afternoon the Recs maintained their lead over the Clube Lusitano. The shots at the 5th, 10th and 15th ends being as follows:—17-16, 35-33 and 57-44.

RECS		C. L.	
T. Main (skip)		J. B. M. Gutierrez (skip)	
G. Manley		F. C. Ozorio	
R. J. S. Brandt		D. M. Gutterres	
W. Manley	17	T. G. J. Almeida	15
G. B. Stormes (skip)		M. P. de Campos (skip)	
C. Thompson		S. del Rivero	
J. M. C. Lopes		H. J. Encarnacao	
J. Main	22	F. Machado	10
F. O. Madar (skip)		A. M. Gutierrez (skip)	
G. Akerman		H. A. Ozorio	
R. Manley		E. C. Pereira	
L. Barrera	20	J. Sepe	15
G. V. Jensen (skip)		L. F. Lopes (skip)	
A. J. Willis		A. M. Souza	
A. McLean		C. Passos	
		F. M. F.	
E. Gifford	27	Gutierrez	16
TOTAL	86	TOTAL	60

The Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club 'Blues' played against the Hongkew Golf Club at Hongkew Park taking the game with 81 shots to 60 The greens were in a rather bumy condition which led to rather erratic play on both sides.

S. L. B.C. (BLUE)		H.G.C.	
C. Richards (skip)		F. Medina (skip)	
H. Wallace		A. H. Corveth	
D. MacDonald		A. A. Rodrigues	
E. Jacobs	13	J. Rocha	23
C. W. Glover (skip)		C. A. da Silva (skip)	
C. A. Pratt		C. M. Seiaber	
L. A. Whittaker		S. A. Pintos	
L. Kershaw	17	A. P. Zuzarte	7
W. A. Turnbull (skip)		C. M. Sequeirs (skip)	
A. Harvey		A. P. Roza	
R. J. McNicol		J. M. Gonsalves	
E. E. Wallwork	22	A. A. Assis	1
T. S. Parry (skip)		C. A. Pereira (skip)	
C. Sinclair		J. J. Souza	
A. Chalmers		M. R. Leitao	
C. E. Harber	26	A. M. Callaco	1
TOTAL	81	TOTAL	6

Each side took two rinks, but the Blues won on the final score.

S.L.B.C. Win

The friendly match between the S.L.B.C. (Red) and the Country Club on the Race Course resulted in a win for the Home Team of 91 shots to 71.

S. L. B. C. (RED)		C.C.	
W. J. Monk (skip)		C. W. Porter (skip)	
J. Munro		A. Kendal Ward	
A. L. Slack		J. T. W. Brooke	
G. Stock	21	W. H. Kingdom	16
W. J. Ward (skip)		I. A. Beith (skip)	
W. Napier		M. Hendry	
J. J. Evans		F. S. Collett	
F. Drakeford	21	E. F. Bateman	17
T. J. Goodman (skip)		L. J. Davies (skip)	
A. N. Parker		M. Reader Harris	
J. Frost		J. Davidson	
A. Y. Tait	24	T. R. Weeks	22
R. Baldwin (skip)		N. C. MacGregor (skip)	
F. H. Hornbrook		W. G. Crokam	
H. E. D. Adams		A. Wheen	
J. Scoble	25	E. L. Marsh	16
TOTAL	91	TOTAL	71

Lawn Bowls Today

Today, the Shanghai Recreation Club have a full day's programme arranged. The rinks will open at 10 a.m. with Progressive Pairs. Tiffin will be served at 1 p.m. and the afternoon will be taken up with drawn pairs which will start at 3 p.m.

Celtic Beats Hearts

Glasgow, June 3.

Celtic beat Hearts in the first semi-final match of the Glasgow Empire Exhibition soccer tournament today by the score of one goal to nil.

The other semi-final will be between Aberdeen and Everton, and the winner will meet Celtic in the final.

Everton is the only English team remaining in the tournament, having won their first round match against Rangers by two goals to nil.—Reuter.

First Full Afternoon of Polo Matches, Pick-up Chukkers

Marines Outplay Durhams; Ewo Prove Too Strong for Seaforths; Highlights Win Twice

BY "THE CHASER"

EVEN gluttons had had enough polo yesterday evening after all the matches and pick-up chukkers were played. The weather was ideal and brought out a good crowd of spectators. Although some difficulty was experienced in the early chukkers in getting the matches played off according to schedule, the Field Secretary, Mr. A. E. Arnold, did very well in running off the matches to finish five minutes before the scheduled time.

A good deal of work is entailed in the making of the programme of matches for Saturdays and players should co-operate with the Secretary by turning up at the designated time, as, in several cases yesterday, players arrived late and were surprised to find that they had been substituted.

Certainly they did not think that the whole programme was to be upset just for their convenience. Players are also requested not to waste any time in getting lined up as all these odd things waste a lot of precious time.

Marines Beat Durhams

The first four chukkers played yesterday were between the Marines and the Durham Light Infantry—both novice teams. The Marines held the upper hand in the match and scored eight goals whilst the Durhams could not settle down and did not score at all. The more interesting part of the programme started at 4.10 p.m. when the Durhams (Arderne, Simpson, Heslop and Luard) opposed a Light Horse team (White, Johnston, Elles and Hughes) for two chukkers. The Light Horse played well, especially Hughes who was hitting a long ball and was directly or indirectly responsible for all the three goals scored. Dr. Johnston scored the first goal for the Light Horse after missing narrowly in his first attempt. The second goal was scored by Elles, soon after the throw in, when he hit a beautiful long ball and sent it straight in between the posts. He also scored the third goal.

The Durham were playing very well but they could not break through the Light Horse's defence and seldom got a chance to shoot at goal. In the second chukker of the match many opportunities of scoring were wasted, by both sides, by shooting wide and the chukker was scoreless.

Ewo Victory

At 4.30 p.m. (W. J. Keswick, Pollock, White and Du Rivau who substituted for John Keswick) and the Seaforth Highlanders (Telfer-Smollett, Wolfe-Murray, Macfarlane and Maclagan) took the field. The Seaforths played well but were no match for the strong Ewo side and were beaten by five goals to nothing. Alec White a beginner this year showed great promise and a good eye. Receiving a pass from Keswick he scored a neat goal from the sixty yard mark. Play was more or less confined to the Seaforths' side of the field and after several attempts by Ewo, Keswick eventually put the ball in between the post, after hitting a goal post.

John Keswick replaced Du Rivau in the second chukker and was in superb form, hitting all sorts of balls from all angles and shooting with deadly accuracy, scoring three goals in rapid succession.

The Light Horse and Durhams played another two chukkers after the Ewo-Seaforths match. The line-up was the same except for Humphreys who replaced Heslop. The Durhams did very well here and tied the Light Horse at three goals each. Simpson scored once and Arderne scored twice for the Durhams whilst White scored twice and Johnston once for the Light Horse.

The best match was probably the one between the Troopers (W. H. Allman, N. F. Allman, Franklin and Kirkoriantz) and Highlights (Harris, Lacks, E. B. Moller and R. B. Moller) The sides were very even and it was a hard fight while it lasted. The latter eventually proved to be the winners by the odd goal in three.

Highlights Too Good

In the next match between the Highlights and Ewo everyone was surprised to see Ewo so badly beaten, five goals to one. The play on the whole was very keen throughout and often exciting. The Troopers proved to be too good for the Seaforths in the last match and won by one goal.

After the last match, pick-up chukkers were played until dusk.

The standard of play yesterday was good but a good deal of missing was seen, which was probably due to the bumpy condition of the field. The ground will be closed today for watering but will be open tomorrow if circumstances permit.

Rosenbloom Wins State Boxing Title

Hollywood, June 3.

Maxie Rosenbloom, the tough New York Hebrew-American who once held the world light-heavyweight champion, today won the California State heavyweight championship by beating Lou Nova, Oakland scrapper, on decision in ten fast rounds.—United Press.

New Air Speed Record

Oakland (Cal.) May 31.

The American air ace Earl Ortman set a new world's speed record today for a closed circuit flight. Participating in the International Pacific race the flier attained an average speed of 427.345 kilometres per hour. —Havas.

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One-Sided Cricket Matches

P. Madar Knocks Up 90 as Colts Defeat Tyros ; Leach Returns Excellent Analysis

IN a delightful exhibition of smooth timing and masterly wrist-work Pat Madar, captain of the Recreation Club Colts, headed the list of batsmen in yesterday's fixtures on the Race Course when he completed a faultless innings of 90 runs before being returned by T. W. R. Wilson. Thanks to the unabating attack of the new-comer L. Marcal, the Colts clinched their game with Torry's Tyros to register their first victory of the season. An excellent analysis followed by a stylish innings by D. W. Leach ensured full points for the S.C.C. Nomads in their match against a powerful Durham side on the Cricket Club ground, while Commander R. Boucher of the Staff and Hq. played havoc with the ball to dismiss the Parsee team and win by the wide margin of 6 wickets.

The Infantry fared disastrously at the beginning of their innings against the Nomads, when their first pair were out after fifteen minutes play with only 9 runs on the board. It was left to MacDonald, who has started off in his usual cautious manner, and the more forceful Thomasson to raise the score to the half-century before the former was returned by Leach, the skipper relieving Orr at the Recs end. Thomasson did not seem to be at all troubled by either end, and displayed some delightful shots to dispose of the too-frequent loose ball.

Wise Move

A wise move by the skipper, when he ordered on Morris against the wind from the Pavilion end resulted in Crosthwaite mistiming, and Leach made sure at mid-off. Kirby soon left to a fast delivery from the Nomads' captain, who by this time was holding the Army to but two runs per over, and coming through with a devilish kick. Dunkley assisted with some splendid saves on the leg-side, and generally the side was showing cricket of a fine order when with little difficulty the remaining batsmen were returned after adding only a few runs to their total.

Dunkley and Pote-Hunt opened cautiously to the deliveries of Thomasson from the Recs end and Browne from the Pavilion end. Disaster soon befell the pair when the first-named played too late to Browne and had his stumps shattered by a yorker. After nibbling at one or two Thomson opened his shoulders to one from Thomasson and from then on seemed completely at ease to place at will.

Graham carried on the good work till an indiscretion saw him return home after reaching double figures. "Peanut" Marshall joined Pote-Hunt, and playing himself in left all the hitting to his partner, who by this time was forcing through the covers to keep Bolan running every moment of the over. Pote-Hunt could resist Arnold's deliveries no longer, and in attempting to lift one over the Pavilion was clean bowled.

When skipper Leach joined Marshall the score had to be doubled in the few minutes of play left, and by dint of experienced foot-work he was able to cut Thomasson through the gully time and time again for the very necessary two. The pair passed the century together, and it was then that victory seemed in sight. Leach sent them away more confidently every over, only to leave when Crosthwaite collected beautifully from Arnold. The skipper had played an excellent innings to ensure the decision. In characteristic style Orr left the crease for a short one, and the match ended at 6.26 p.m.

Tyros v. Colts

Batting first on a hard wicket the Colts lost three of their men for a mere 42 runs when Wilson and Pettit swung into a vehement attack, which did not wilt till P. Madar settled down to stay the rot. Though Quincy could only compile 12 his style and ease at the crease foretell higher scores in the near future. His confidence was an example. Allan assisted his skipper in a stand which resulted in a hundred runs being hung up, and no time was the Tyros' attack troublesome. Wilson bore the burden of the bowling, and was unfortunate on more than one occasion when a change was allowed to slide by.

Madar, in a splendid exhibition of square-cuts, and slams through the great speed. His understanding with Allan in running singles drew frequent applause from an interested gathering, and his strokes all round the wicket were indicative of further successes this season. In an attempt to put one away from Wilson, he failed to survive the decision and wisely declared the innings closed at 228 runs for 7 wickets.

A Procession

The Tyros' innings was virtually a procession, no couple being able to withstand the accuracy of the attack long enough to take the score higher. With six wickets down for 29 runs Pettit entered, and a partnership seemed imminent. The score crept up slowly, but Kellner came back to remove the menace, and with Marcal's length troubling the opposition little difficulty was experienced in dismissing the remaining few. Marcal's figures were distinctly encouraging in view of the fact that this was his first match this season.

Army v. Parsees

But for a stand by M. J. Divecha and S. P. Karanjia the Parsees might have fared even worse in their match against the Staff and Headquarters XI on the Police Ground (matting wicket). Commander Boucher, the Navy ace, was in fine fettle with the ball, and was practically unplayable to return the very fine analysis of five wickets for 23 runs. Coming through with a nip his deliveries puzzled all but two of the opposition, and try as it may the latter could not force a way through the fielding net. No pair was able to stay together long enough to settle down, and the innings closed after two hours of play.

The opening pair of the Army side was able to amass nearly a century before being parted, and with but thirty runs for victory the rest of the side played with a certain amount of abandon which resulted in forcing shots which tested the Parsee field to its limit. Hamlen will be remembered for his performances last year, and showed his old form in a well-played innings before being dismissed by Kuka off Kermani. French had assisted in the partnership and the feature of his play was his strength reaching the tapes on more than four occasions. Shroff was steady with the ball, and returned a very creditable analysis considering the wicket. However, the Parsee side was no match for the Army, and the match ended in the latter's favour, with six more wickets in hand.

In a holiday fixture on the Cricket Club ground tomorrow, Whit-Monday, beginning at 10.30 a.m. sharp, L. F. Stokes' XI will meet a representative S. C. C. team.

L. F. Stokes' XI.—L. F. Stokes (capt.), E. H. Anstice, H. Sevenoaks, B. B. Boddy, H. A. Crickmer, J. E. Fairbairn, F. D. Harris, J. W. Pote-Hunt, F. A. Pitts, T. L. Rawsthorne, and L. Heap.

S. C. C.—D. W. Leach (capt.) T.A.T. Begg, J. C. Jenkins, F. R. L. Carey E. R. Duckett, G. T. Gambling, E. F. Geere, A. Graham, F. E. T. Marshall, F. Marshall, and J. D. E. Shotter.

Durham Light Infantry

L/Cpl. Carr, c. and b. Anstice	0
Bndm. Macdonald, c. Anstice b. Leach	26
R. S. M. Bush, c. Marshall b. Anstice	3
Cpl. Thomasson, c. Morris b. Leach	35
C. S. M. Browne, st. Dunkley b. Leach	16
Cpl. Bolan, hit wkt. b. Leach	8
Capt. Kirby, b. Leach	28
Lieut. Crosthwaite, c. Leach b. Morris	28
L/Cpl. Holmes, NOT OUT	3
Pte. Clarke, b. Leach	0
Pte. Arnold, st. Dunkley b. Leach	5
Extras	4
	156

Fall of Wkts. 1-0 (Carr) 2-9 (Bush) 3-54 (Macdonald) 4-84 (Browne) 5-89 (Thomasson) 6-94 (Bolan) 7-148 (Crosthwaite) 8-149 (Kirby) 9-149 (Clarke) 10-156 (Arnold).

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
E. H. Anstice	8	2	26	2
F. Marshall	7	—	24	—
H. E. Orr	6	—	23	—
Dr. H. H. Morris	5	—	23	1
D. W. Leach	9	3	32	7
A. Graham	2	—	18	—

S.C.C. Nomads

J. W. Pote-Hunt, b. Arnold	42
G. S. Dunkley, b. Browne	6
C. E. M. Thomson, l.b.w. Bolan ..	23
A. Graham, b. Bolan	13
F. Marshall, c. Bush b. Clarke.	10
D. W. Leach, c. Crosthwaite b. Arnold	42
H. J. M. Cook, NOT OUT	9
H. F. B. Gardener, b. Clarke	3
H. E. Orr, E. H. Anstice and Dr. H. H. Morris DID NOT BAT	—
Extras	17
(For 8 wkts.)	164

Fall of wkts. 1-4 (Dunkley) 2-48 (Thomson) 3-64 (Graham) 4-89 (Pote-Hunt 5-142 (Marshall) 6-148 (Leach) 7-155 (Gardener) 8-164 (Orr).

Bowling Analysis

Thomasson	5	2	14	—
Browne	9	0	45	1
Arnold	12	0	54	2
Bolan	5	—	29	3
Clarke	5	—	25	2

S.R.C. Colts

H. P. Madar, c. and b. Wilson ..	13
A. F. Gomes, b. Wilson	6
L. P. Quincey, c. Pate b. Merritt	12
E. B. Cumine, b. Merritt	9
T. J. Allan, c. Harris b. Pettit	47
P. Madar, l.b.w. Wilson	90
L. Marcal, b. Pettit	0
J. H. Anderson, NOT OUT	18
L. C. Kew, NOT OUT	12
J. Leriou and F. F. Kellner DID NOT BAT	—
Extras	21
(For 7 wkts. dec.)	228

Fall of wkts. 1-15 (Gomes) 2-23 (Madar) 3-42 (Quincey) 4-51 (Cumine) 5-149 (Allan) 6-149 (Marcal) 7-206 (Madar).

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Wilson	12	1	53	3
Pettit	6	2	26	2
C. J. Merritt	5	—	23	2
D. F. Harris	5	—	20	—
A. C. Cooper	3	—	19	—
U. Mohideen	5	—	46	—

S.R.C. Tyros

G. Madar, c and b. Kellner	6
C. J. Merritt, b. Marcal	7
D. F. Harris, c. Kew b. Kellner ..	0
K. M. Pate, c. Cumine b. Kellner	8
U. Mohideen, l.b.w. Marcal	2
T. W. R. Wilson c. Cumine b. Marcal	8
A. C. Cooper, b. Marcal	0
A. W. Pettit, b. Kellner	13
R. E. Slight, NOT OUT	2
A. L. McCorkindale, b. Marcal ..	0
J. R. Macdonald, b. Madar	0
Extras	9
	53

Fall of wkts. 1-9 (Madar) 2-9 (Harris) 3-15 (Merritt) 4-15 (Mohideen) 5-29 (Pate) 6-29 (Cooper) 7-42 (Pettit) 8-52 (Wilson) 9-52 (McCorkindale) 10-53 (Macdonald).

Bowing Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
E. B. Cumine	1	—	6	—
F. Kellner	4	—	15	4
L. Marcal	4	—	22	5
H. P. Madar	1	—	1	1

Parsee Cricket Club

N. N. Mehta, c. Hamlen b. Wood	13
F. R. Kermani, b. Boucher	1
S. P. Karanjia, c. Royal b. Church	23
M. J. Divecha, c. Hamlin b. Wood	22
S. F. Shroff, b. Church	7
S. M. Charna, b. Boucher	10
P. M. Charna, b. Boucher	8
J. C. Kuka, c. Wood b. Boucher	9
P. R. Kermani, b. Boucher	8
B. Viccajee, b. Boucher	0
Extras	10
	111

Fall of wkts. 1-12 (Kermani), 2-18 (Mehta) 3-56 (Karanjia) 4-67 (Shroff) 5-84 (Charna) 6-84 (Divecha) 7-100 (Charna) 8-111 (Kuka) 9-111 (Kermani) 10-111 (Viccajee).

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Wood	8	—	32	2
Boucher	14	3	23	5
Aldridge	2	—	12	—
Church	7	—	24	3
Royal	2	—	9	—

Staff & Headquarters XI

Sgt. Hamlen, c. Kuka b. Kermani	33
Sgt. French, c. Divecha b. Shroff	47
Lieut. Colvile, NOT OUT	12
Lieut. Gordon, c. and b. Shroff ..	15
Lieut. Whatman, c. Kermani b. Divecha	1
Lieut. Church, NOT OUT	0
Comdr. Boucher, Lieut. Talbot-Smith, Cpl. Royal, Cpl. Aldridge and Cpl. Wood DID NOT BAT	—
Extras	9
For 4 wkts.	117

Fall of wkts. 1-86 (Hamlen) 2-88 (French) 3-106 (Gordon) 4-109 (Whatman).

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
S. F. Shroff	11	1	29	2
F. R. Kermani	7	—	35	1
M. J. Divecha	5	—	21	1
P. M. Charna	2	—	12	—
B. Viccajee	2	—	7	—

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Taking a Forehander

Maj.-Gen. Telfer Smollett is seen taking a forehander in the polo match yesterday in which Ewo defeated the Seaforth Highlanders by five to nothing.

2 Centuries Made In Test Trial

Fishlock's Good Play Not Rewarded ; Australia Win Cricket Match

London, June 4.

Centuries by Fishlock and Hammond were the features of the Test Trial at Lords which ended yesterday in a draw.

Despite his good performance, however, Fishlock, who made 109 not out, were not included in the 13 names announced after the match from whom the first Test team will be picked. The side will be selected from: Hammond (captain), Farbes, Clay, Barnett, Verity, Hutton, Ames, Wright, Denis Compton, Edrich, Hardstaff, Paynter and George Pope.

Bowlers dominated in the majority of the matches, especially O'Reilly, who claimed 11 wickets against Gloucester for 67 runs.

The Australians, as a result, beat Gloucester by ten wickets in two days. Other results were:

Worcester beat Essex by 60 runs; Warwick beat Surrey by five wickets; Somerset beat Kent on the first innings; Yorkshire beat Hampshire on the first innings; Lancashire drew with Sussex; Oxford beat Middlesex by two wickets.

Hammond Reaches 1,000

Hammond made 1,000 runs for the season when he reached his 49th run. Hardstaff contributed 35, Verity 29, and Smith 21 not out, Pollard took five wickets for 57.

Aside from Fishlock, no player contributed anything substantial to the Rest's total. Wilcox, the skipper, was dismissed for a "duck," Paynter made one, Yardley 28, and Dollery 40 not out. Details:

At Bristol—Australians beat Gloucester by ten wickets. Gloucester 78 (O'Reilly six for 22) and 107. (O'Reilly five for 45. Fleetwood-Smith four for 39). Australians 164 (Badcock 51, Sinfield eight for 65) and 25 without loss.

At Southend—Worcester beat Essex by 60 runs. Worcester 152 (Peter Smith six for 63) and 147. Essex 135 (Jackson four for 25) and 144 (Jackson seven for 44).

At the Oval—Warwick beat Surrey by five wickets. Surrey 179 (Hollies four for 54) and 130 (Hollies five for 47). Warwick 123 and 223 for five.

At Folkestone—Somerset beat Kent on the first innings. Kent 179 (Andrews six for 51). Somerset 320 (Gimblett 112).

At Huddersfield—Yorkshire beat Hampshire on the first innings. Yorkshire 302 (Boyes six for 73) and 24 for three. Hampshire 183 (Leyland eight for 63).

At Preston—Lancashire drew with Sussex. Lancashire 175. Sussex 129 for seven.

At Oxford—Oxford University beat Middlesex by two wickets. Middlesex 167 (Young five for 37) and 215 (Pershke five for 48). Oxford 183 and 201 for eight.

At Lord's—England drew with The Rest. The Rest 263 and 189 for three (Fishlock 109 not out). England 377 (Hammond 107).

Latest Standings

	P.	Win 1st innings, but W.	L.	D.	Unfinished matches L.	W.	L.	D.	P.	Pct.
Pts. award	12	0	6	4	4	0	2			
Lancashire	7	6	1	0	–	–	–	–	72	10.28
Middlesex	5	4	1	0	–	–	–	–	48	9.60
Leicester	2	1	0	0	–	4	–	–	16	8.00
Clamorgan	2	1	0	0	–	4	–	–	16	8.00
Yorkshire	5	2	0	0	–	8	1	–	32	6.40
Derbyshire	6	3	3	0	–	–	–	–	36	6.00
Worcester	7	3	3	0	4	–	1	–	40	5.71
Surrey	5	2	2	0	4	–	1	–	28	5.60
Gloucester	6	2	2	0	–	8	–	–	32	5.33
Sussex	6	2	1	0	–	4	2	–	28	4.67
Somerset	7	2	3	0	–	8	–	–	32	4.57
Kent	4	1	1	0	–	4	1	–	16	4.00
Notts	3	1	2	0	–	–	–	–	12	4.00
War'shire	6	2	2	0	–	–	2	–	24	4.00
Hampshire	7	1	4	0	4	–	2	–	16	2.23
Essex	5	0	5	0	4	–	1	–	4	0.80
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Marines Wallop Tulsa At Baseball

Childress Poles Home Run With Two Bases Loaded

Scoring three runs in the third inning, the Headquarters of the U.S. Fourth Marines won their season's first friendly game over the U.S.S. Tulsa nine yesterday afternoon at the Race Course by 7-3.

Childress, the strong-armed short stop, chose a big bat after two scoreless innings and in the third, with two bases loaded, clouted a homer to centre field. The Marines should have tallied earlier as they collected no less than five hits off Verbic, the Tulsa moundsman, before the latter was sent to the showers. Costello took up the pitching.

Today, at 3.30 p.m., the Tulsa will play the Shanghai Amateurs for the third time.

Headquarters	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hyman, lf.	5	1	2	2	2	1
Miles, cf., c.	4	0	1	5	0	0
Girard, 1b.	4	2	2	11	0	1
Beyers, cf.	1	0	0	1	0	0
Sonnberg, c.	2	1	2	3	1	0
Marconi, ss.	2	2	0	2	1	0
Childress, ss.	2	1	1	0	1	0
Dingwall, 2b.	3	0	2	2	3	0
Arnold, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Rosher, rf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Porter, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Wells, p.	2	0	0	0	3	0
Houston, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0
	35	7	10	27	13	2
U.S.S. Tulsa						
Miles, rf.	3	1	2	0	0	0
Moore, lf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Koslosky, 3b.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wood, 2b.	3	0	1	2	4	0
Velkoetter, ss.	3	0	0	2	2	0
Sartain, cf.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Costello, p.	2	1	0	1	2	0
Peterson, 1b.	4	1	1	2	1	0
Pough, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	1
Day, 1b.	4	0	0	10	2	0
Mazoway, p.	3	0	0	5	0	1
Verbic, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
	32	3	5	24	11	2

Score by Innings

Tulsa	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	3
Headquarters	0	0	3	0	1	1	2	0	–	7

Gymkhana Today

This morning at 9 o'clock the Shanghai Branch of the Pony Club will hold a gymkhana at the paddock of the Columbia Riding School.

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Records Fall As Foreign Y.M.C.A. Win Athletic Meeting

Matulis, Dixon, Prokofieff Lead Winners ; Marine Taken to Hospital After Great Victory

LED by Pompey Matulis, Bob Dixon and Alex Prokofieff, the Foreign Y.M.C.A. met no difficulty in capturing the 1938 Shanghai track and field championship held under the auspices of the Shanghai Track and Field Association (International) yesterday on the Shanghai American School grounds. The "Y" representatives amassed an aggregate of 71 points.

The Fourth U.S. Marines, led by Lt. Glenn Funk and Pte. Aikman, failed to withstand the ultimate winners' efforts and came in second with 37 markers. The Russian Regiment, S.V.C., finished third, netting 23. The Shanghai Schools ran fourth, 16, while the 1st Battalion Grenadiers of Savoy and the Chinese took fifth and sixth, respectively, with 8 and 7, and the Russian Club trailed by gaining only three points.

Funk, Matulis Outstanding

Funk and Matulis shared honours in the individual championship as each garnered 18 points. The Marine ace won three firsts in the 120 yards hurdles, 440 and 880, besides placing second in the mile. Funk was beaten by Jack Service in the mile. The Marine was so tired that he collapsed after finishing the distance. He was taken away to the Marine Hospital shortly afterwards.

Matulis chalked up only one first, in the shot put. But in high jump, broad jump and discus throw he gained second positions. Then he took one third in the pole vault and two fourth places in the javelin throw and hop-step-jump.

Each one of the two individual stars established a new China record. Funk ran the 440 yards in 51.5 seconds while Matulis made a great heave of the shot put, reaching 42 feet and 11½ inches. Funk ambled along in that tremendous stride of his to outdistance his nearest competitor, Mironoff of the Russian Regiment, by several yards.

Records Broken

Slightly less brilliant were the performances of Pte. Kauffman of the Marines and Prokofieff. These two athletes shattered two Shanghai International marks when the one hurled the discuss 131 feet and 10 inches and the other made 45 feet and 9 inches in the hop-step-jump. Prokofieff's best distance in the four trials was 45.3¼ but in the extra jump he bettered his highest tally by 5¾ inches.

Matulis was very unfortunate not to have defeated Aikman in the hop-step-jump for he trailed by a margin of one-half inch. Aikman made 41.7 hurled the discus 131 feet and 10 and Matulis 41.6½. In the pole vault Matulis also encountered bad luck in losing the second place to Chappa another Marine contender.

The performance of the two Edwards brothers was praise-worthy. These two boys captured both the 100 and 220 yards dashes, with Francis leading the way in both events. Cecil, the younger one, occupied the runner-up positions, despite severe challenges by Fonseca in the century and Aikman in the longer sprint. These two schoolboys obtained the only points the Schools team won.

With the exception of Abramoff, who won the pole vault with a leap of 11 feet and 8 inches, none of the other contestant of the Russian Regiment gained any premier honours. Kachan, their "iron man" did not impress, taking third in the shot put and fourth in the discus.

Track Events

100 yards:—1. F. Edwards (Schools), 2. C. Edwards (Schools), 3. Fonseca (Y.M.C.A.), 4. Aikman (Marines). Time: 10.2 secs.

220 yards:—1. F. Edwards (Schools), 2. C. Edwards (Schools), 3 Aikman (Marines), 4. Drudi (Grenadiers). Time: 22.3 secs.

440 yards:—1. Funk (Marines), 2. Mironoff (Russian Regiment), 3. Susi (Grenadiers), 4. Haverlock (Marines). Time: 51.5 secs.

880 yards:—1. Funk (Marines), 2. Dobrenky (Y.M.C.A.), 3. Korobkoff (Russian Regiment), 4. Y. W. Kwei (Chinese). Time: 2 min. 8.5 secs.

Mile:—1. Service (Y.M.C.A.), 2. Funk (Marines), 3. Y. W. Kwei (Chinese), 4. Fisanelli (Grenadiers). Time: 4 min. 46.1 secs.

120 yards low hurdles:—1. Funk (Marines), 2. Lewis (Marines), 3. Dixon (Y.M.C.A.), 4. Archegoff (Russian Regiment). Time: 15.2 secs.

Mile relay:—1. Y.M.C.A. (Gaberman, Fonseca, Dobrenky and Service), 2. Russian Regiment (Mironoff, Korobkoff, Osintzeff and Sennichenko), 3. Grenadiers (Drudi, Susi, Muradoi and Zago), 4. Chinese (T. M. Liang Y. P. Ma, S. F. Tsu and A. Y. Chen). Time: 3 min. 45 secs.

Field Events

Shot put:—1. Matulis (Y.M.C.A.), 2. Dixon (Y.M.C.A.), 3. Kachan (Russian Regiment), 4. Prokofieff (Y.M.C.A.). Distance:—42 ft. 11½ in.

Discus throw.—1. Kauffman (Marines), 2. Matulis (Y.M.C.A.), 3. Dixon (Y.M.C.A.), 4. Kachan (Russian Regiment). Distance: 131 ft. 10 in.

Javelin throw:—1. Dixon (Y.M.C.A.), 2. Kachan (Russian Regiment), 3. Eickoff (Y.M.C.A.), 4. Matulis (Y.M.C.A.). Distance: 160 ft. 7 in.

High jump:—1. Prokofieff (Y.M.C.A.), 2. Matulis (Y.M.C.A.), 3. Laisheff (Russian Club), 4. P. S. Woo (Chinese). Height: 5 ft. 11¾ in.

Broad jump:—1. Fonseca (Y.M.C.A.), 2. Matulis (Y.M.C.A.), 3. Aikman (Marines), 4. K. H. Wong (Chinese). Distance: 20 ft. 10 in.

Hop, step, jump:—1. Prokofieff (Y.M.C.A.), 2. Fonseca (Y.M.C.A.), 3. Aikman (Marines), 4. Matulis (Y.M.C.A.). Distance: 45 ft. 3¼ in.

Pole vault:—1. Abramoff (Russian Regiment), 2. Chappa (Marines), 3. Matulis (Y.M.C.A.), 4. Laisheff (Russian Club). Height: 11 ft. 8 in.

Place-Winning Results

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Foreign Y.M.C.A. ...	7	5	6	3
U.S. Marines	4	4	2	2
Russian Regiment ..	1	3	2	2
Shanghai Schools ..	2	2	0	0
Savoy Grenadiers ..	0	0	2	2
Shanghai Chinese ..	0	0	1	4
Russian Club	0	0	1	1

Running Score

	Y.M.C.A.	Marine	Regt.	Schools	Grenadier	Chinese	Club
100 yds.	5	1	0	3	0	0	0
High jump	3	0	0	0	0	1	2
Pole vault	3	3	5	0	0	0	1
880 yds.	2	5	2	0	0	1	0
120 yds. hurdles ..	2	8	1	0	0	0	0
Shot put	5	0	5	2	1	0	0
440 yds.	0	6	3	0	3	0	0
Javelin throw	8	0	3	0	0	0	0
Broad jump	3	2	0	0	0	1	0
Mile	5	3	0	0	1	2	0
Hop, step, jump ..	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
220 yds.	0	2	0	3	1	0	0
Discus throw	5	5	1	0	0	0	0
Mile relay	10	0	6	0	4	2	0
Total aggregate	71	37	23	16	3	7	3

Poliakoff Takes Local Chess Title

Kosovsky Wins 2nd Place, One-half Point Behind

D. Poliakoff, former chess champion of Shanghai, regained the title for the current year with a score of nine points o t of a possible eleven. S. Kosovsky, last year's champion, won second prize, his score being eight and a half points. The fate of the third prize has not been decided yet as it depends on the results of two adjourned games. P. Lapiken, D. Stasinevich and M. Diamant are all possible candidates for it.

H. Klinghardt and A. Beloff tied for first and second prizes in the Major Tournament with a score of nine and a half points each, while A. Ross and V. Gavriloff was both candidates for the third prize. The former has eight points to his credit and the latter seven and a half and one adjourned game against V. Karmiloff.

Last Wednesday's results of games which terminated at the first session are as follows:—

D. Poliakoff, ½, K. Fedoroff, ½.
S. Kosovsky, 1, E. C. Treyer, 0.
D. Stasinevich, 1, M. Fineland, 0.
H. Gledhill, ½, H. Krouk, ½.
H. Klinghardt, 1, H. Stellingwerff, 0.
A. Beloff, 1, Prof. J. A. Ely, 0.
A. R. Ross, 1, H. W. Snow, 0.

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The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 10¼ sterling and 21⅛ U.S.$.

The Inter-bank market was quietly steady throughout the morning. Although opening nominally at Friday's closing rates, there were no sellers, and the market was slowly towered to 10¼ sterling and 21⅛ U.S.$ sellers for cash. At the close although there were occasional sellers at fractionally higher rates, the general selling rates were:—

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10 3/32 „	20 7/8 „	June
9 7/8 „	20 3/8 „	July

Foreign Exchanges

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Berlin	12.31½	Hongkong	1/3
Amsterdam	8.96⅜	Singapore	2/3 1/32
Brussels	29.22¾	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	82.00 N	„ (buying)	1/13/4
Milan	93.93	C'slovakia	142.25
Berne	21.72		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.15½	Japan	28.86
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	21.62
Holland	55.22	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.77¾	C'Slovakia	3.47 5/8
Brussels	16.94	Hungary	19.80
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.74
S'zerland	22.79	Yugo Slavia	2.32 1/2
Sweden	25,52½	Greece	0.90¾
Norway	24.87½	Bulgaria	1.25
Denmark	22.10	Finland	2.19
Montreal	98.870	Poland	18.87
Brazil	5.90		

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„ Commercial 60 days bills	4.94 5/16
Buenos Aires Paper	30.70
„ Market rate	26.00
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Foreign Money Rates

June 3.

London:		
Fine Bank Bills,	3 Months	0 5/8%
Bank Bills,	6 months	0 11/16%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	2¾%
Call Money		0½%
New York:		
Bankers' Acceptances for	1, 2 and 3 months	0½%B 0 7/16%A
Bankers' Acceptances for	4 months	0 9/16%B 0½%A
Call money		1%

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

	June 3	June 4
Antamok	.41	.42
Atok	.24	.25
Benguet Consolidated	9.30	9.20
Consolidated Mines	.002	.002
Demonstration	.26	.26
Mine Operations	.10	.10
San Mauricio	.42	.43
United Paracale	.27	.26

Turnover: 52,000 Pesos.
Shares Index: (closing prices) 70.08.

GOLD MINED DURING MAY

	Pesos
Demonstration	156,200
Paracalegamaus	20,100

—Reuter

British Rubber Stocks

The average market forecasts of this week's stocks of rubber in London and Liverpool, compared with last week's official figures, show increases of 400 tons and 800 tons, respectively.—Reuter.

Silver Quotations

London, June 4.

Silver prices remained unchanged today, the quotations being:—

	June 3	June 4
London spot	19 1/16d.	19 1/16d.
„ forward	18 3/4d.	18 3/4d.
London/New York:		
One pound U.S.	$4.94 1/4	$4.94 1/8
One U.S. dollar	48.540d.	48.515d.
Gold	140/9d.	140/8d.

—Reuter.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Morning Session

OFFICIAL

	CASH
50 S'hai Power (Pref)	$107.50
3 S. W. W. "A" £20	$520.00
300 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 13.20
100 Tram (Regd.) £1	$ 33.50
200 Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 34.50
500 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 13.30

UNOFFICIAL

15 S. W. W. "A" £20	$520.00
250 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 13.20
250 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 13.30
1,000 Java Consolidated	$ 1.67
	Shares
Morning Session	2,668

London Stocks

Friday's Closing Quotations

London, June 3.

Business was restrained on the Stock Exchange today, owing to holiday influences, but the undertone of the market was favourable. British gilt-edged securities received support. Industrials met bear covering. Kaffirs were in demand from the Cape, while tins responded to the improvement of the commodity.—Reuter.

	June 2	3
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£102 1/32	102⅛

JAPANESE BONDS

Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	44	44½
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	53½	54½

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL

Allied Ironfounders	22/6	21/9XD
Armstrong, Stevens	6/6	6/6
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	3/-11½	35/3
Austin Motors, ord.	22/6	23/6
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	52/4½	52/-
British-American Tob.	98/9	96/10½
Cable & W., new form	48	47½
Cammell Laird, ord.	7/-	7/-
Courtaulds	34/3	33/7½
Distillers	94/9	94/9
Dunlop Rubber	26/6	26/6
General Elec. (Eng.)	67/7½	68/6
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	113/-	113/-
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	25/9	25/4XD
Imp. Chem. Indus.	29/4½	29/3
Imp. Tobacco	131/3	131/3
Leyland Motors	75/-	74/7½
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	55/-	54/7½
Pressed Steel, com.	13/7½	13/7½
Rolls-Royce	92/6	92/6
Smethwick Drop Forgings	16/6	16/6
Tate & Lyle	74/6	74/6
Turner & Newall	75/-	75/-
United Steel	20/9	20/4½
Vickers, ord.	20/3	20/4½
Woolworths	61/1½	61/1½

MISCELLANEOUS

Anglo Dutch	22/9	22/6
Rubber Pltn. Invest.	23/-	23/-

MINES

Burma Corp.	8/7½	5/6
Commonwealth Min.	2/1½	2/1½
Marsman Invest.	10/9	11/-
Randfontein Ests.	32/6	32/3
Sub-Nigel	213/9	216/3
Tanami Gold Min.	1½d	1½d
Western Holdings	15/9	15/-

OILS

Anglo Iranian	83/1½	83/6
Burmah	111/10½	112/6
Mexican Eagle	5/1½	5/1½
Shell Trans. & Trad.	83/1½	80/7½

CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.

4½% Gold Loan, 1898	£78½	78½
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	69½	69½
4½% Anglo-French Loan	92	92
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	49	50
5% Hsorg. Loan, 1913	63	63½
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	16½	16½
5% Honan Rly., 1905	38	38
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	29	29
5% „ „ (Ger. Is.)	28	28
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	18	18
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	29	29
5% T'sin-Pukow Rly., B.	27	27
5% „ „ „ G.	27	27
5% „ „ „ (Supl. Loan) B.	27	27
5% „ „ „ (Supl. Loan) G.	27	27
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	22	22
S'hai Elec. Construction	36/- N	36/- N
S'hai Waterworks "A"	24½ N	24½ N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	31½ N	31½ N
Charter Bank of I. A. & C.	12	12
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	87	87
„ „ (Col. Reg.)	89	89
Chinese Eng. & Min.	14/6	14/6
Chosen Corp.	8/-	8/-
Pekin Syndicate	2/6 N	2/6 N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	18/9	18/9

N—Nominal.

British Commodities

Friday's Closing Quotations

London, June 3.

Among commodities, London rubber ruled quiet today.

London Rubber: Spot, buyers 5 5/16 —1/16; sellers 5 5/8 —1/16; July delivery, buyers 5 5/8 unchanged; sellers 5 11/16 —1/16.

London Sugar (Buyers): August 5/01½ —¼; December 5/01¼ —¼; March 5/1 —½;

Liverpool Wheat: July 6/01¼ +⅝; October 5/7¼ +1⅜; December 5/7 +1⅜;

Liverpool Cotton: American Futures: July 4.34 +6; Oct. 4.45 +5; Jan. 4.51 +5; Mar. 4.55 +5; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7): July 6.28 +8; September 6.30 +8; October 6.37 +9;

London Metals: Copper, Stan. cash sellers £34 3/8 +3/8; 3 mths sellers £34¾ +½; Electrolytic, buyers £38¼ +½; sellers £39¼ +½; Tin, Standard, cash, sellers £170½ +2½; 3 mths sellers £171 +2½; Lead, foreign, official price, sellers £13 5/8 unchanged; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £13 13/16 +1/16; Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £12 3/8 unchanged; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £12 5/8 +1/16.—Reuter.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, June 3.

The share market on the closing day before the Whitsuntide recess was very buoyant, prices being firm. The turnover, however, was in aggregate only moderate. Buying-being done chiefly by small investors was somewhat less than would otherwise have been the case had it not been for the long interruption to be caused by the holidays.

Favourable economic reports and publication of good balance sheets put investors in an enterprising mood, special interest being shown for Dye Trust shares, minings, breweries and building shares.

In fixed interest securities, industrial bonds were particularly weak, Kloeckners dropping ½ to 102⅜ and Hoeschs declining ⅛ to 102½. Dye Trusts, however, rose ½ to 130.

Reichs Old Liquidation Loan declined ⅛ to 132⅛. Gold mortgage bonds were all firm.

Call money stood at 2¾ to 3 per cent.—Trans-Ocean.

Reichsmark Quotations

Berlin, June 3.

The following were today's Reichsmark quotations: New York 40.145, Paris 1449, Amsterdam 72.70 to 72.75, London 12.3175.

Paris quoted sterling at 178.25 to 178.50 and the U.S. dollar at 36.055 to 36.07.—Trans-Ocean.

Rubber Outputs for May

	lb.
Anglo-Dutch (Java) Plantations, Limited	70,768
Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd.	160,936
Java Consolidated Rubber & Coffee Estates, Ltd.	58,642
Kroewoek (Java) Plantations, Ltd.	86,404
Ziangbe Rubber Company, Ltd.	81,570
Langkat	68,000
Shanghai-Sumatra	56,000

New York Stocks

Friday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 3.

Stock prices on Wall Street opened easy, then turned firmer and remained in the doldrums, with feeble rallies quickly petering out. Final levels showed losses from fractions to about three points. Steels were under moderate pressure on the feeling that steel prices may be reduced. Coppers only moved fractionally lower, owing to a sustained outlook for an improved statistical position. The turnover amounted to 280,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
50 Indust. x	110.52	109.25	109.71	—0.97
20 Rails	20.32	20.15	20.22	—0.30
20 Utilit.	18.60	18.35	18.45	—0.31
40 Bonds	——	——	85.82	—0.13
11 Commod.	——	——	45.66	+0.13

x—Yesterday's corrected to 111.68.

	June 2	3
Adams Express	7½	7½
Alleghany Steel Co.	12 3/8	B 11 7/8
Allis Chalmers	40¼	39½
Amer. Can	85⅝	86
Amer. Cyanamid "B"	17¼	17
Amer. & For. Power	3⅜	3¾
„ „ $7 pfd.	16½	B 16½
Amer. Locomotive	15⅜	14¾
Amer. Metals	27⅜	B 26½
Amer. Radiator	10	10
Amer. Rolling Mill	14½	14¼
Amer. Smelting	33½	32⅜
Amer. Sugar Refining	B 22⅛	22¾
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	129¼	128⅜
Amer. Tobacco "B"	68¼	B 67½
Amer. Waterworks	8¾	8⅛
Anaconda Copper	22¾	22¾
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	26	26¼
Atlas Corp.	6⅜	*6¼
Auburn	21⅛	21⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	5½	B 5⅜
„ „ pfd.	6½	6⅜
Barber Co.	B 14¼	14⅛
Barnsdall Oil Co.	12¼	12⅜
Bethlehem Steel	42⅜	42⅛
Boeing Airplane Co.	22½	22⅛
Borden Co.	15⅜	15¼
Borg Warner	18	17½
Briggs Manufacturing Co.	16¾	16
Bklyn-Manhattan Trans.	9⅜	8¼
„ $6 cum. pfd.	B 24½	24⅛
Case, J.I.	75⅛	73¼
Can. Pacific Rly.	5⅜	5⅜
Celanese Corp.	11⅞	B 11¾
Cerro de Pasco	33⅛	32¾
Chase Nat. Bank	B 26⅞	B 27
Chesapeake Corp.	29	B 27¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	23⅞	23¼
Chrysler	40⅛	40⅜
Columbia Gas & Elec.	6¼	5⅞
„ „ "A" pfd.	63½	62¼
Coml. Credit	30	30
Coml. Solvents	6⅜	6¼
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1⅜	1⅜
„ $6 cum. pfd.	39¼	38½
Consolid. Edison	23⅞	23⅜
Consolid. Oil	8⅛	8⅛
Continental Can	37	37
Continental Oil	*25	*25
Corn Products	62½	62¼
Curtiss Wright (com.)	4⅜	4⅜
„ "A"	18¾	19⅛
Delaware & Hudson	8¾	8¾
Delaware, Lackawanna	4¾	4⅞
Deere Co.	15¾	15¼
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	13¾	*13
Douglas Aircraft	42⅜	43
Du Pont de Nemours	95	93⅛
Eagle Picher Lead	8	8
Elec. Boat Co.	7⅝	7⅝
Elec. Bond & Sh.	7¼	6⅞
„ „ $5 pfd.	46¼	B 44¼
„ „ $6 pfd.	51¼	50¾
Elec. Power & Lt.	9¾	9⅝
„ „ 7% pfd.	37½	35¼
Flintkote Co.	13⅝	13⅜
Freeport Sulphur	23	24⅜
Gen. Amer. Trans.	26½	B 26
Gen. Cigar	B 22	B 22
Gen. Elec.	33¾	32½
Gen. Foods	28⅝	28⅝
Gen. Motors	37⅛	37⅛
Gen. Rly. Signal	14	B 13¾
Gliddden Co.	16	16½
Goodrich (B.F.)	12⅛	12
„ $5 pfd.	36	35¼
Goodyear Tire & R.	17¼	17¾
Great Nthrn. Rly. pfd.	14¼	14⅜
Great Western Sugar	B 25	B 25
Greyhound Corp.	8⅛	8½
Hecker Prods	6	6
Humble Oil	58¾	58½
Int. Nickel	42	41⅜
Int. Tel. & Tel.	8¾	B 8½
Interstate Department Stores	7½	B 7½
Kennecott	*28⅜	27⅝
Lambert Co.	10¾	10½
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	26	26
Lockheed Aircraft	9½	9¼
Loew's Inc.	40⅛	40⅛
Lorillard	15⅜	15½
McKesson & Rob. $3 pfd.	28½	B 27½
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	22⅜	22⅛
Monsanto Chemical	71½	71
Montgomery Ward	29⅛	29⅝
Nat. Cash Register	16⅛	16⅝
Nat. Bond & Investment	11⅜	B 11½
Nat. City Bank	B 21⅞	B 22
Nat. Dairy Prods.	13	13⅛
Nat. Distillers	19	18⅜
Nat. Power & Lt.	6⅝	6½
Nat. Supply Co.	14⅞	14½
New York Central	11½	11⅛
Niagara Hudson & Power	7⅛	6⅞
North Amer. Aviation	8½	8¾
North Amer. Co.	18⅞	18½
Northern Pacific	7¾	7¾
Pacific Gas & Elec.	26⅝	26⅛
Pacific Lighting	37¼	36¾
Packard Motors	3½	3½
Paramount Pictures Inc.	6¾	6⅝
„ 1st pfd.	B 69¼	B 69¼
Pennsylvania R.R.	14¾	14⅝
Phillips Petroleum	30¾	30⅝
Public Serv. of N.J.	28⅝	28
Pure Oil	8½	B 8⅜
„ 5% conv. pfd.	B 73½	B 73½
Radio Corp. of Amer.	5¼	5⅛
Republic Steel Co.	12	12
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	36¾	36⅝
Schenley distillers	15⅛	14⅞
„ 5½% pfd.	B 65	B 65
Sears Roebuck	52½	51⅛
Shell Union Oil	12	B 11⅞
Socony-Vacuum	12⅜	12⅜
South. Cal. Edison	21	20⅞
Sthrn. Pacific	10⅝	10⅝
Southern Railway	7¼	7⅛
Sthrn. Rly. 5% pfd.	10⅞	10⅞
Stand. Brands	7¼	7⅛
Stand. Gas & Elec.	3¾	3½
„ „ $7 pfd.	18½	17½
Stand. Oil of N.J.	46¼	45⅞
Sterling Prods.	B 59¾	59⅜
Studebaker	3⅞	3⅞
Swift International	25	B 24¾
Technicolor	22	22⅛
Texas Corporation	35¾	35⅞
Texas Gulf Sulphur	29¼	29
Tide Water Associated Oil	12¼	12
Transamerica (new)	8⅞	8⅞
Tw.-Century-Fox Film.	19½	19½
„ „ pfd.	B 29	29
Un. Carbide & Carbon	*62¾	62½
Un. Pacific	*62	B 60½
Un. Aircraft (new)	25½	25⅜
Un. Airlines Trans.	7¾	7⅜
Un. Corp.	2¾	2½
„ $3 pfd.	29¼	25⅞
Un. Gas Corp.	3⅜	3⅜
Un. Gas Improvement	10	9⅞
United Light & Power Co.	2⅜	2½
U. S. Indus. Alcohol	B 15½	B 15⅜
U. S. Rubber	25¼	25⅛
„ „ 8%	60½	60⅛
U. S. Smelt. R. & M.	B 48	B 48
U. S. Steel	40⅜	40¼
Vanadium	13½	13½
Warner Bros. Picts.	4½	4⅜
Westinghouse Elec.	72¼	72½
Woodward Iron	11⅛	11
Youngstown Sheet & Tube	27	26½

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	49¼	49⅛
Brazil	12½	12⅜
Chic. Mil. Stp.	8⅜	8¼
Cities Serv. Pwr. & Lt.	55⅞	55½
Int. Tel. & Tel. 4½s	91¾	90¾
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s	67½	67¼
New England Gas	51	51¼
Peru 6s 1961	8	7⅞
Stand. Gas & Elec.	49¼	50

B—Bid *Ex Dividend.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Conditions on the Stock Exchange today were incentiveless, with traders keeping to the side-lines pending a clue to the future trend of the market. Chart-readers were cautious on the theory that the technical position of the market will possibly warrant a set-back. However, there was no pressure on recessions, which was attributed to a lack of demand rather than selling volume. Business news was mixed, while carloadings were contraseasonally higher. Some interest was shown on the appearance of twenty shares of Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago, common, at 146, which is twenty-seven points below the previous level recorded early in the year.

Japanese Govt. Bonds

Osaka, June 4.

Kogo 5%	Y.103.45

—Reuter

U.K. Gold Movements

London, June 3.

Movements of gold in the United Kingdom during the week ending June 1 resulted in a surplus of imports over exports by £3,710,000, compared with net imports of £1,793,000 for the previous week.

Imports during the period under review totalled £9,562,000 and included shipments from the following principal countries: the Netherlands £65,000; Switzerland £72,000; Belgium £4,211,000; France £510,000; British Africa £1,598,000; the Soviet Union £1,134,000; Australia £373,000; British India £324,000 and Canada £365,000.

The previous week's imports totalled £4,679,000, including £38,000 from the Netherlands; £75,000 from Switzerland; £1,826,000 from Belgium; £37,000 from France; £1,480,000 from British Africa; £657,000 from Uruguay; £480,000 from Brazil and £27,000 from Venezuela.

Exports during the period under review were placed at £5,852,000, including £477,000 to the Netherlands; £190,000 to France; £967,000 to Switzerland; £771,000 to Sweden; £3,348,000 to the United States; £31,000 to Yugo Slavia and £24,000 to Syria.

The previous week's exports summed up to a total of £2,886,000, of which £442,000 was sent to the Netherlands; £257,000 to France; £163,000 to Switzerland; £1,539,000 to Sweden and £470,000 to the United States.—Reuter.

U.K. Silver Movements

London, June 3.

Silver movements in the United Kingdom during the week ending June 1 resulted in a surplus of exports over imports by £146,000 compared with net exports of £973,000 during the previous week.

Exports of the white metal from the United Kingdom during the period under review totalled £212,000, including shipments valued at £124,000 to the United States; £43,000 to Aden and £36,000 to Bombay. Exports during the previous week totalled £1,016,000, including shipments of £952,000 to the United States and £27,000 to Belgium.

Coming from various sources, imports of silver for the same period amounted to £66,000, of which £23,000 was received from Belgium and £22,000 from Germany. Lost week's imports summed up to a total of £43,000, including £33,000 from Belgium.—Reuter.

U.S. Cotton Statistics

New York, June 3.

According to statistics compiled by the New York Cotton Exchange for the week ending June 3, supplies of cotton brought into sight totalled 13,242,000 bales, showing an increase of 43,000 bales over last week and of 543,000 bales over the corresponding period last year.

Forwardings to United States mills during the period under review were given as 5,117,000 bales, showing an increase of 59,000 bales over last week, but decreased by 1,440,000 bales from the same week in 1937.

Exports from United States ports amounted to 5,556,000 bales, showing advances over last week and the same week in 1937 of 60,000 bales and 159,000 bales, respectively. These exports included 1,567,000 bales to Great Britain 847,000 bales to Germany; 621,000 bales to Japan and 90,000 bales to China, etc.

There was no stock of cotton at New York during the week under review, last week or during the corresponding period of last year.

United States stocks (in ports and interior towns) were listed at 4,772,000 bales, representing a contraction of 73,000 bales from last week, but showed an advance of 2,366,000 bales over the corresponding period last year.

The world's visible supply was estimated at 8,431,000 bales, 79,000 bales lower than that estimated last week, but 2,436,000 bales higher than the amount recorded during the same week in 1937. Of this total, American contributions accounted for 6,259,000 bales.

American cotton forwarded to mills of the world (excluding linters) reached 9,864,000 bales, showing an advance of 145,000 bales over last week, but declined by 2,240,000 bales from the corresponding week in 1937.—Reuter.

U.S. Car Loadings

New York, June 3.

Car loadings in the United States for the week ending May 28 totalled 562,000 cars, according to the weekly report issued today by the Association of American Railroads.

This shows an increase of 16,000 cars over the previous week when the figure stood at 546,000 cars.

Loadings during the corresponding period of last year were placed at 795,000 cars, or 233,000 cars higher than the amount recorded during the period under review.—Reuter.

Copper Output Reduced

New York, June 3.

Copper circles estimate that the recent shut-down of mines of the Kennecott Copper Corporation, Anaconda Copper Mining Company and other concerns may reduce the monthly domestic output to 20,000 tons, compared with 31,690 tons in April.—Reuter.

U.S. Commodities

Friday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 3.

Trading in the cotton market was inactive and prices were early influenced by better Liverpool and Bombay cables. Later, the advance was upheld by overnight trade and foreign buying of near months and covering. Contracts were scarce. At the close, quotations were from 17 to 19 points up from the previous final levels.

Scattered commission house selling and dealer buying were in evidence in the rubber market early in the day. Later, factories sold nearby contracts and futures against purchases of actuals and repurchasing of distants. At the last call-over, losses from 4 to 8 points were recorded.

Increasing fears of black rust developments, a disappointing yield in the south-west reports of flood damage in Kansas prompted active covering in the Chicago Wheat Pit from the outset. Later, the firmness of Winnipeg and Liverpool markets, evidence of Government flour purchases and insufficient moisture in Australia offset the smallness of the overseas demand. At the final bell, quotations were from ⅝ of a cent to 1⅛ cents up.

The sugar market ruled dull and prices early eased slightly on liquidation and scattered selling owing to easier London cables, with the approaching Whitsuntide holidays limiting trade. Subsequently, the market rallied on week-end shorts covering. At the close, quotations ranged from ½ to one point higher.

Despite lower cables, sellers were reluctant to press earlier in the day due to the lower prevailing parity. Later, price moved lower on liquidation which offset trade buying. At the end of the day's trading, losses from ½ to 1 cent were registered.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
July	8.03-04	+19	July	11.27-30	—06
Oct.	8.06-06	+17	Oct.	B/A	
Dec.	8.09-09	+17	Sept.	11.40-45	—04
Jan.	8.10-10	+18		B/A	
Mar.	8.14-14	+18	Dec.	11.57-60	—08
May	8.19-19	+18	Jan.	11.63 N	—05

New York Sugar No. 4		New York Silk	
Sept.	0.93½-94	+1½	July 1.48-49½ —1
			B/A

Chicago Wheat		Chicago Corn	
July	70⅜-70¼	+1	July 57⅜-57½ +⅛
Sept	71½-71½	+1⅛	Sept. 58⅛-58⅛ +⅛

Winnipeg Wheat		Montreal Silver	
July	102⅞-102⅞	+1⅛	July 42.55-3.10 unc
Oct.	79-79	+1¾	B/A

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

U.S. Silver Imports

New York, June 3.

Silver to a total value of $5,872,000 was imported by the United States during the week ended May 27 compared with $1,402,000 during the previous week.

Consignments of the white metal during the period under review were received from the following principal sources: Canada $324,000; Mexico $635,000; Chile $1,000; Peru $44,000; England $4,811,000; the Philippines $1,000; Australia $2,000; Belgium $1,000; France $1,000; Aygentina $30,000 and Japan $21,000.

Imports during the previous week came from the following principal countries: Canada $25,000; Mexico $768,000; Chile $9,000; Peru $158,000; England $297,000; the Philippines $7,000; Australia $42,000; the Dominican Republic $18,000; Bolivia $38,000; Guatemala $1,000 and Honduras $39,000.—Reuter.

New York Sugar Market

New York, June 3.

During the past week sugar prices of No. 3 contract moved lower under liquidation on indications from Washington that there was little likelihood of an immediate change in the quotas. Raw sugar ruled quiet. This week's sales amounted to 27,000 bags of Philippines and 40,000 bags of Porto Ricans. Despite inactivity, holders were not pressing as nearby supplies were fairly well kept up.

Although there were indications of no immediate change in the quotas, many holders expected that some action would eventually be taken by Washington, and this accounted for some of the steadiness.

Meanwhile, trading in refined sugar continued to be slow, owing to the unseasonal weather. Nevertheless, a broader movement is expected as the weather is warmer.—Reuter.

Cement Production

Berlin, June 4.

The cement production in Germany in 1937 amounted to 12,500,000 tons as compared with 2,790,000 tons in 1932, and Germany is now the second largest manufacturer of cement in the world after the United States.

The period of intense building activity has also led to a big rise in tile production which increased from 3,300,000,000 to 8,500,000,000 tiles between 1932 and 1937, statistics reveal.—Trans-Ocean.

Anti-Dumping Laws

Washington, June 2.

Anti-dumping orders against imports of 18 commodities from six countries, Great Britain, Switzerland, Holland, Germany, Austria and Canada, were revoked by the United States Treasury today. The order, it is understood, does not affect Japanese goods.—Reuter.

Tin Quota Fixed

Paris, June 2.

The tin quota for the third quarter has been fixed at 45 per cent. of standard tonnages, and increased, in the case of Malaya and the Netherlands East Indies, only by the addition of 7½ per cent, according to a communique issued after today's meeting of the International Tin Restriction Committee.

From the total of 45 per cent, such percentage as the Committee may determine later will be allocated towards the formation of a buffer stock, to which the International Tin Restriction Committee have agreed in principle on the lines of the buffer stock skeleton scheme already submitted to signatory Governments.

A sub-committee has been appointed, which will elaborate on the draft scheme as rapidly as possible, taking into account the observations made by certain signatories.

The completed scheme in a form suitable for signature by the delegations, it is anticipated, will be placed before a special International Tin Restrication Committee meeting to be held in London before July 1.

It is hoped that the next meeting of the Committee will fix the percentage of tonnages within the total quota of 45 per cent, which will be assigned towards the formation of the buffer stock.—Reuter.

Chicago Wheat Market

Chicago, June 3.

Wheat prices in the Chicago Grain Pit during the early part of the past week sank to the lowest level recorded during the past five years before a rally set in.

The export demand has improved, with two cargoes sold to Italy. Private estimates of the total domestic crop, which averaged 1,078,000,000 bushels, have been largely discounted.

The Agricultural Adjustment Administration, it is believed will soon announce a loan based on the levy process. Furthermore, it is asserted that Washington plans to allocate $100,000,000 towards relief purchases, Meanwhile, the underlying sentiment in the market is pessimistic.—Reuter.

No Dollar Depreciation

Washington, June 2.

A denial was issued today by Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary of the United States Treasury, against

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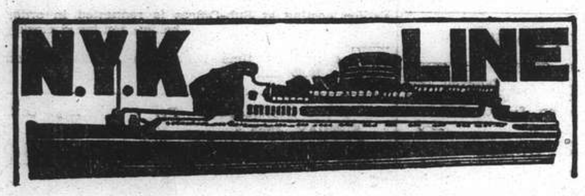

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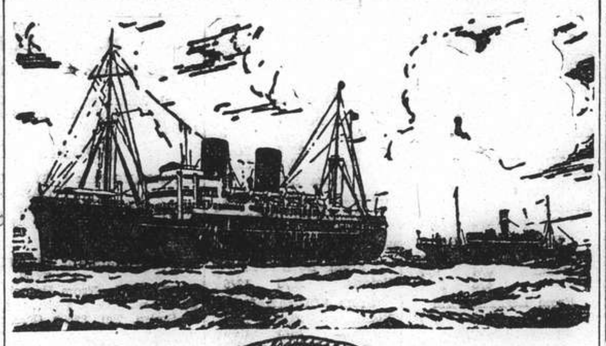

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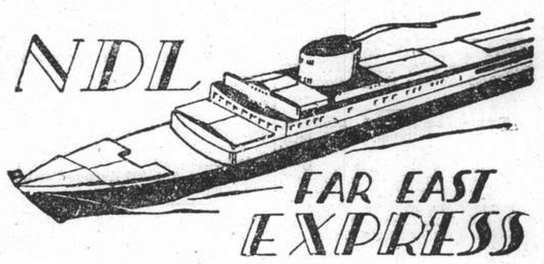

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FOR SALE, 52 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in. all steel motor houseboat fitted with twin Thornycroft engines, speed 8 knots, independent electric lighting plant, lavatory, kitchen, etc. Address Box 3322, N.C.D.N. 15136

FOR SALE, motor-boat, teakwood, 26 feet long, 4-cylinder, 12 h.p. Kelvin engine. Also house-boat mostly teakwood. Both excellent condition. Can be inspected any time Soochow Creek at Yu Ya Ching Road Bridge. Both flying Italian flag. Box 3231, N.C.D.N. -7163

Beauty Culture, etc.

Advertisements under this heading are carefully scrutinized before acceptance, and though no guarantee can be given readers may be reasonably assured of their bona fides.

MISS Dardari, just arrived from Australia, chiropractic diploma, qualified reducing body massage. Excellent results. Natural way to health. Treatment 409 Burlington Hotel. Telephone 34200. -6677

464 RUE Bourgeat, Flat 4. Lady gives medical, electric massage and pedicure. Opposite French Club. -7132

1205 Bubbling Well Road, Apartment 15. Massage. -6708

LADY gives general massage, manicure, 10-7 p.m. 205 Peking Road Apartment 30, Second Floor. 15063

Unfurnished Apartments

FOR RENT, Jubilee Court, French Concession. Comfortable 4 room Apartment, garage if desired. Some furniture and fittings to be taken over. For inspection appointment telephone 71380. -7234

ONE room flat at Edward Ezra Building, 153 Nanking Road. Inspection see Caretaker. Apply Brandt & Rodgers, Ltd., 391 Kiangse Road, Telephone 11169. 15144

525 Avenue Haig, Apartment 2. Attractive 4-room apartment with 2 bathrooms, kitchen. Rental includes central heating, hot and cold water, garage and taxes. Apply Palmer & Turner, Property Office, 17 Canton Road. Telephone 15100. 15075

HOUSTON Court, 2032 Avenue Joffre. Very desirable two room apartments overlooking lovely garden. For further particulars call 18625. 15113

TINY Mansions, 749 Yu Yuen Road, Two-roomed flat available. Kitchenette, frigidaire With/without garage. Apply Telephone 20141. -7038

Wanted to Rent

UNFURNISHED, three-roomed flat with kitchen and modern sanitation required for one year or longer. Box 3297, N.C.D.N. -7205

FOUR or three-roomed flat wanted on main street. Telephone 13818 or Box 3295, N.C.D.N. -7200

WANTED room with board in a private family by lady. State terms and particulars to Box 3244, N.C.D.N. -7084

ADVERTISER desires board and lodging. Central district. Reply stating terms to Box 3279, N.C.D.N. -7152

Lost

NOTICE is hereby given that Fixed Deposit Receipt No. 10251 for $448.71 in favour of Mrs. Alice Simpson issued by The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Shanghai, has been lost. The Bank has been informed of the loss of the receipt which is now null and void. Alice Simpson. 15142

NOTICE. The following Delivery Order was lost and declared null and void. China Egg Produce Co., Ltd. Nantao Office's D/Order No. 4538, covering 52 cases boric acid, Shanghai, May 9, 1938, Hsin Chong (新昶號) -7183

Miscellaneous

YOUNG lady with perfect knowledge of French and German, some English, would like to accompany lady or children to a summer resort. Telephone 73758 from 1-2 p.m. -7265

G.E. refrigerators repaired with guarantee, also bought by Russian Electric Co, 334A Avenue du Roi Albert. Telephone 74816. -5700

CARPETS cleaned chemically 7 cents per square foot. Rugs repaired, stored, insured. Esso Company, Telephone 12170. -7124

Chinese Servants

RECOMMEND cook-boy, English speaking, honest, efficient, clean. Box 3299, N.C.D.N. -7209

EXCELLENT boy, free July 1. Mistress leaving. Cooks, washes, irons, all housework, 26 years last post, four years present post. Telephone 73803 afternoons. -7232

RECOMMEND cook-boy, clean and reliable. Zwanck. Telephone 46066, office hours Telephone 18090. 15140

GOOD cook-boy, honest servant, well recommended, former employer left Shanghai. Telephone 20132 during tiffin hours. 15147

ENGLISHMAN leaving Shanghai wishes to secure job for excellent Chinese chauffeur. Telephone 11225. 15143

FOREIGNER, highly recommends cook-boy. American or English cooking. Box 3314, N.C.D.N. -7249

ENGLISHMAN highly recommends experienced boy-cook, available after June 15. Clean, honest, quiet and excellent cook. Also house-coolie if required. Telephone 36967. -7091

73148 CENTRAL Employment Agency (British). 2,000 satisfied international customers. Picked cook-boys, baby-amahs, cook-amahs, house-amahs, wash-amahs, chauffeurs, watchmen, stenographers. -7125

CHAUFFEUR recommended. Reliable, honest. Eleven years service, no accidents. Can effect running repairs. Wheeler, 13469 or 21700 (respectively). -7168

FOREIGNER leaving Shanghai highly recommends experienced chauffeur. Reliable and honest. Please telephone 19734. -7138

Animals

FOR SALE, cocker spaniel, pedigree stock, one year old. Telephone 77551. 15141

FOR HIRE or sale, really first-class Z pony, very comfortable ride. Telephone 70418. Dufour Apartment 12A. -7255

HEALTHY Dachshund puppies, with pedigree, for sale. Telephone 74982 or call 159/30 Avenue Haig, afternoons only. -7282

DOGS Training School of I. Soochkoff renewed dogs training. Term one/two months. Daily demonstration of pupils' skill, except Sundays. Dogs taken for boarding. Excellent training grounds. Constant medical supervision. Daily summer baths. The owner of school has had 30 years of practice. 127/31 Route Prosper Paris, Telephone 73336. -7229

THOROUGHBRED male Alsatian wanted. Colour and age disregarded. Box 2734, N.C.D.N. -7259

TRAINING School for Dogs. Dogs taken for board, $15 monthly. 1866 Avenue Haig. -7027

BUYING a pup. Safeguard yourself and buy only China Kennel Club registered dogs. Insist on this. 15129

BEAUTIFUL, thoroughbred male Spitz for service in exchange for puppy. Please Telephone 75542 tiffin time. -7114

WANTED to buy a good milking goat. Telephone 21176 or Box 3288, N.C.D.N. 15116

FOR SALE, pedigreed Scotch terrier, female, 18 months old, excellent condition, $50. Too fond of rabbits only reason for sale. Telephone 70128. 15117

WIRE-hair terrier, male. 2 years old. Very affectionate. Cheap to good home. Apply 2-A Route Grouchy. -7191

WANTED to buy male Airedale pup, about two/three months old. Pure-bred only. Box 3282, N.C.D.N. -7165

Furnished Apartments

FOR three to six months, fully-furnished, four rooms, enclosed verandah, servants' quarters, steam-heated, modern conveniences. Telephone 73169 between 3 and 5 p.m. -7236

TWO-roomed flat, furnished or unfurnished, facing south with separate bath, fully-screened, western district, near tram and bus stop. Telephone 18366 office hours or 20706 during meals. -7242

TO LET, two-roomed apartment, bathroom, kitchenette, steamheated, quiet district. Cheap rent. Furniture to be taken over. Telephone 75812. -7209

GRESHAM Apartments, Room 28, Avenue Joffre. 4-room flat, furniture, refrigerator to be taken over. Telephone 77798. -7272

TO LET: Denis Apartment Flat 82, Lane 15, House 3 Carter Road, one-roomed apartment furnished or without. For sale piano "Lindberg" at reasonable price. -7225

CENTRAL, cool, cozily furnished two-roomed flat facing separate verandah, modern building, bathroom, big spare room. $125 monthly. Telephone 18938. -7219

FURNISHED three-roomed apartment for sale. Modern conveniences. French Concession. Owner leaving Shanghai. Telephone 71896 between 5-6 p.m. -7218

FLAT to let, furniture for sale. View from 11 a.m. 69 Verdun Terrace. -7259

TO LET, furnished, for 16 months, from July. Bungalow, Bubbling Well Road, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, frigidaire, piano, arcola heating, fully screened, good garden, no plate, glass or linen. Moderate rental. Telephone 36986. -7121

TO LET for three months, three-roomed furnished apartment, French Concession. For particulars Telephone 70840. -7128

TO LET end of June, modern, furnished 2-roomed flat, kitchen, bathroom, with nice garden facing south. Apply 30 Rue Pere Robert. -7134

TO LET, three-roomed, fully-furnished apartment, near Canidrome. Furniture to be taken over. For particulars Telephone 72177. -7194

TO LET immediately, high and very cool, two/three-roomed apartment, close Bund. Fully-furnished. Refrigerator, telephone, cook-boy and coolie. $165. Address Box 3294, N.C.D.N. 15127

TO LET, two-roomed apartment, rent $100. $500 buys everything. Radio, frigidaire, two bedroom sets, all kitchen and other fixtures. Owner leaving Monday. 647 Weihaiwei Road, Apartment F22. Telephone 32051. -7180

ATTRACTIVE 3-roomed modern flat in the Wayfoong House, available June 20. Lease and furniture to be taken over. Telephone 14041. -7188

FOR SALE, furnished two-roomed flat, with kitchen and bathroom. Apply between 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 947 Avenue Joffre. Apartment C. Telephone 75359. -7170

ONE large studio-apartment, dressing-room, bar, bathroom, kitchen, near Yu Yuen and Bubbling Well Roads, attractively and beautifully decorated and furnished by Modern Home, in new building. Screened all over. Very cool. All modern conveniences, garage. Servants' quarters. Rent $137. Furniture and fixtures to be taken over. Telephone 21477. 15107

FOUR-roomed modern apartment, three rooms facing south. Garden. Near schools in western district. Reasonable rent. Furnished. Will consider selling furniture (exclusive of linen, cutlery, silver, etc.) at reasonable price. Own frigidaire and radio. Available July 15. Telephone 20234. 15109

Rooms Without Board

TWO single furnished rooms in detached house. Telephone 71115. -7263

FURNISHED room for one or two persons, 102 Rue Marcel Tillot, 94 Bearn Apartment, Telephone 84916. -7221

347/2 King Albert Apartment, room to let, south, all conveniences. Single person preferred. See from 10-2 p.m. -7226

113 Route Pere Robert, close to French Park, one large room with bath and one small room, nicely furnished, to let. Board optional. Very moderate terms. Telephone 71494. -7240

IN private family, nicely furnished large airy room. 7th floor, Savoy Apartments, Route Say-Zoong. Board optional. Telephone 71468. -7249

ONE comfortable, furnished, steam-heated south room. All conveniences, breakfast optional. To a lady or gentleman (single). 380, Route Cohen, Apartment 46, Telephone 73482, 85058. -7247

TO LET in private family big airy room, very cool in summer. All modern conveniences. Board if desired. 455 Rue Lafayette, Apartment 110. -7262

PRIVATE family, furnished room, cool, all modern conveniences, moderate terms. 203 Park Apartments, 455 Rue Lafayette. -7275

TO LET in private family nicely furnished large airy room. St. Pauls Apartment, 97 Route Vallon, Apartment A-207. -7243

FURNISHED large, south room, bath attached, to let in modern apartment. Telephone 76490. Apply from 72, Washington Apt. 305 Avenue Petain, 8-12 a.m. and 2-4 p.m. -7166

PRIVATE family offers well-furnished, large, south room with verandah, private bath. 1809 Avenue Joffre, opposite I.S.S. Building. -7158

FURNISHED room to let, private family, apartment building. Single person preferred. 7 Route Grouchy, Apartment 3. -7088

COSY rooms, monthly/weekly basis. Also daily terms for transient guests, $3 per day. Telephone 74982. -6908

COMFORTABLY furnished rooms for men. Club facilities. Navy Y.M.C.A. 15058

TO LET, nice, furnished rooms, with garage and small garden, western district. 600 Avenue Haig, House 1. -7186

ROOM to let in private family, all modern conveniences. 306 Rue Cardinal Mercier. -7184

PRIVATE family offers well-furnished large and small rooms, verandah, roof-garden, bachelor preferable. 455 Rue Lafayette, Apartment 202 Telephone 81122. -7195

FURNISHED south-room apartment house. Cool in Summer. Jessfield Park close by. 1412-2-D Yuyuen Road. -7167

Vessels Arriving

The first date is that of the ship's departure from the Port under which she appears; the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From GLASGOW
Teiresias 14/5 2/7

From LIVERPOOL
Achilles 7/5 17/6

From LONDON
Ranpura 3/6 10/7
Bangalore 28/6 11/7

From HAMBURG
Afrika 13/5 29/6
Potsdam 4/6 9/7
Titan 4/6 20/7

From ROTTERDAM
Duisburg 20/5 7/7

From ANTWERP
Aller 26/4 8/6

From LISBON
Taronga 4/6 8/7

From GENOA
Victoria 19/5 12/6
Donau 4/6 8/7

From PORT SAID
Chile 2/5 9/6
Meerkerk 11/5 11/6

From PORT SAID
Tai Yang 14/5 12/6
Hector 26/5 21/6
Naldera 2/6 26/6

From SUEZ
Helenus 24/5 24/6

From COLOMBO
Cortellazzo 21/5 9/6
Nordmark 30/5 21/6

From DJIBOUTI
Victoria 26/5 12/6

From SOURABAYA
Tjisadane 28/5 13/6
Tjisaroea 28/5 15/6

From SINGAPORE
Tai Yang 3/6 12/6
Somali 4/6 12/6
Ranchi 4/6 12/6
Scharnhorst 4/6 12/6
Ajax 2/6 13/6

From MANILA
Kulmerland 4/6 9/6

From SAIGON
Mar. Joffre 3/6 10/6

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK
C. Kimberley 16/4 14/6
Foylebank 7/5 27/6
C. Singapore 17/5 15/7
C. Evansville 17/6 13/8

From SAVANNAH
Phemius 29/5 12/7

From VANCOUVER
Talthybius 4/6 29/6

From LOS ANGELES
Triton 16/5 11/6
Myrmidon 19/5 17/6

From YOKOHAMA
Memnon 3/6 12/6

From KOBE
Carthage 3/6 5/6
Burdwan 9/6 11/6

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From L. MARQUES
Erica — 29/6

From MOMBASA
Boissevain 4/6 24/6

From MELBOURNE
Nellore 4/6 10/7

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN
Hoten M. 4/6 7/6
Dairen M. 6/6 9/6
Tsingtao M. 8/6 11/6
Hoten M. 11/6 14/6

From TIENTSIN
Hupeh 2/6 7/6
Tingsang — 9/6

From TSINGTAO
Memnon 25/5 11/6

From HONGKONG
Hoihow 31/5 5/6
Agapenor 1/6 6/6
Kronviken — 6/6
Alster 5/6 8/6
Nankin 5/6 8/6
Changon — 9/6
Kaying 3/6 9/6
Fausang — 11/6

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

SANDVIKEN June 5. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, June 5, at 3.30 p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 5-6

HOIHOW June 7. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Tuesday, June 7, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 6-6

KRONVIKEN June 8. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, June 8. For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 8-6

LIANGCHOW June 9. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Thursday, June 9, at 9 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 9-6

CHANGON June 11. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, June 11. For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 11-6

SHUNTIEN June 11. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Saturday, June 11, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 11-6

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

FAUSANG June 13. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Monday, June 13. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 13-6

SOUTH CHINA COAST

KWAISANG June 5. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, June 5, at 3.30 p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 5-6

SOOCHOW June 5. SWATOW, HONGKONG, CANTON, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Sunday, June 5, at 4 p.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 5-6

TSINAN June 7. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Tuesday, June 7, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 6-6

SHANTUNG June 8. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Wednesday, June 8, at 7 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 7-6

HUPEH June 9. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Thursday, June 9, at 8 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 9-6

KAYING June 10. SWATOW, HONGKONG HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Friday, June 10, at 9 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 9-6

TINGSANG June 11. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, June 11. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 11-6

JAPAN

NANKIN June 9. (From Shanghai) MOJI, KOBE, OSAKA and YOKOHAMA.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, E. & A. S. S. Co., Ltd., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 9-6

STRAITS AND EUROPE

ARAMIS June 7. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 7-6

CARTHAGE June 7. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, GIBRALTAR and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, PORT SAID and MALTA.—Last tender will leave the Customs Jetty at 10.30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 7. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 7-6

CITY OF LYONS June 8. HAVRE, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG ann GLASGOW.—The Ellerman Line steamer City of Lyons sails on June 8, 1938. Lacey & Cannan, Ltd. Tel. 12854 (3 lines). 8-6

MEMNON June 12. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW.—For freight & passage apply to Agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 12-6

YALOU June 14. ORAN, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, ANTWERP, DUNKIRK via ADEN and PORT SAID.—For particulars apply to Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII . Tel. 82034. 14-6

SCHARNHORST June 24. GENOA, SOUTHAMPTON, ROTTERDAM, BREMEN and HAMBURG via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, PENANG, BELAWAN, COLOMBO and PORT SAID:—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., General Agents, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 24-6

PEIPING June 26/27. TRIPOLI, ALGIERS, ORAN, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG, OSLO and GOTHENBURG.—The Swedish East Asiatic Co. Ltd.'s m.s. Peiping will leave Shanghai on or about June 27, for the above mentioned ports. Through Bills of Lading to all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. Cargo for U.K. ports accepted on optional Bs/L. For freight and passage, please apply to The Ekman Foreign Agencies Ltd., 170 Kiangse Road, Hamilton House. Tel. 11330. 27-6

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Post Office Notices

Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is requested in order to make connection with the below-mentioned closing times.
(Last connecting time from Sub-Offices to Head Office is 19.05 daily).

Date and Destination	Per		Reg.	Ord.
SUNDAY, June 5.				
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	Sandviken		10.00	10.00
Swatow Hongkong Canton	Kwaisang		10.00	10.00
Swatow Hongkong Canton and Yunnan	Soochow		10.00	10.00
MONDAY, June 6.				
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Sygna		*19.00	8.00
Chinwangtao	Sygna		7.30	8.00
Haimen Che.	M. Margarida		13.30	14.00
Aust. N.Z. S.S. (Y) India Suez Europe	Aramis	A	13.00	15.00
Hongkong and Canton	Aramis		14.30	15.00
Kiangsi Offices east of Haian	Liwo		16.30	17.00
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Hoihow	X	17.30	19.00
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	Hoihow		18.30	19.00
Amoy and Hongkong	Tsinan		18.30	19.00
Wenchow	Don Luis		18.30	19.00
TUESDAY, June 7.				
Japan Korea and Kormosa via Nagasaki	Shanghai M.		*19.00	7.15
Aust. N.Z. S.S. Ceylon India Suez Europe	Carthage	B	7.15	9.00
Hongkong and Canton	Carthage		8.30	9.00
Nanking (Z)	Tachi M.	CX	—	—
Swatow Hongkong Canton	Shantung		18.30	19.00

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for France and other countries, closes at 12.00 on 6th.
B Parcel mail for S.S., Gt. Britain and other countries, closes at 16.00 on 6th.
C Parcel mail for Nanking, closes at 12.00 on 7th.
X Provisional time—subject to alterations.
Y Superscribed correspondence.
Z Parcel only.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Via Siberia by steamer to Tientsin for transmission. Next steamer mails will be closed as follows:
ss. Aramis, via Suez, June 6, due London July 7.
ss. Carthage, via Suez, June 7, due London July 9.
ss. Empress of Asia, via Pacific, June 12, due London July 9.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service (Hongkong-Bangkok-London and Hongkong-Bangkok-Singapore-Australia) per ss. Aramis, at 3 p.m. on June 6, due Marseilles and London June 16.

Pan American Airways Service (Hongkong-San Francisco) per ss. Memnon, at 7 p.m. on June 11, and due San Francisco on June 22.

Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bangkok-Amsterdam) per ss. Carthage, at 9 a.m. on June 7, and due Amsterdam on June 21, and London on June 22.

Air France (Saigon-Marseilles Line) per ss. Aramis, at 3 p.m. on June 6, and due Paris and London on June 24.

Air France (China-Hanoi-Marseilles Lines) per available str. to H'kong for transmission via Canton.

Via C.N.A.C. or Eurasia planes sent to Hongkong for further transmission.

Train Mail

Light mails for Wuhu, Nanking, Chinkiang, Wutsin and Wuhsien close daily, at 8.30 p.m.
Light mails for or via River Ports from Anking upwards per available steamer via Canton.

Vessels Leaving (cont.)

AMERICA

TOULOUSE June 22. LOS ANGELES and NEW YORK via PANAMA GANAL.—Barber-Wilhelmsen Line motor vessel Toulouse sails from Buoys Nos. 14-15 on June 22, accepting cargo for all Overland Points. Dodwell & Company Ltd., Agents, 17 Canton Road. Tel. 11369. 22-6

AUSTRALASIA

NANKIN June 9. (From Shanghai) RABAUL, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via JAPAN and PORTS.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, E. & A. S. S. Co., Ltd., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 9-6

CHANGTE June 17. (From Hongkong) MANILA, THURSDAY I, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE.—Australian-Oriental Line, Ltd., Agents, Butterfield & Swire, French Bund. Tel. 82020. 12-6

Rooms with Board

PRIVATE family offers bed-sitting room, facing south, balcony, steam-heating, private bathroom, lift. Good food. 112/6 Ferry Road. Telephone 37130. -7211

AVENUE Hall, single and double south-facing rooms. Good food. Supervised by Mrs. Chr. Falkenstein, 1434 Avenue Road, Telephone 30244. -7244

KENSINGTON House, Lane 30, 10 Seymour Road. One suite with private bathroom. Excellent food. Reasonable rates. Telephone 30179. -7260

TSINGTAO, Iltis Huk. Modern Italian pension with sea view. Large rooms. Garden. Homegrown vegetables. Refrigerator. Excellent cuisine. Villa Lucia, 4 Tse-tsefuan Road, Tsingtao. 15137

12 Pacific Gardens, Seymour Road. Double/single rooms, private bath, southern verandahs, Telephone 30376. -7137

CHELSEA House, 830 Bubbling Well Road. Comfortable double and single rooms, excellent cuisine, tennis court. Telephone 37231, L. Bick. -7069

COSGROVE HOUSE, 1220/50 Avenue Road. Well-furnished double/single rooms, private bath, quiet location. Excellent food. Telephone 31018 Mrs. Black. -6700

THE Gardens, 90 Route des Soeurs. Attractive annex. Suits bachelor or young couple. Excellent cuisine, large garden. -7155

7 Kelmscott Gardens, Avenue Roi Albert, opposite Verdun Terrace. Nicely furnished room, bathroom attached. Telephone. Preferably with board. -7156

ROOMS, including library, swimming and other club facilities. Foreign supervised food service. (Optional.) Foreign Y.M.C.A. Telephone 92250. 15011

ALSA Lodge, 427 Yu Yuen Road, facing south, well-furnished double/single rooms. Excellent food. English supervised. Telephone 22091. -7041

Offices, Shops, Godowns

SHOP to let in the centre of Avenue Joffre, suitable for bank, office or store. Address Box 3313, N.C.D.N. -7245

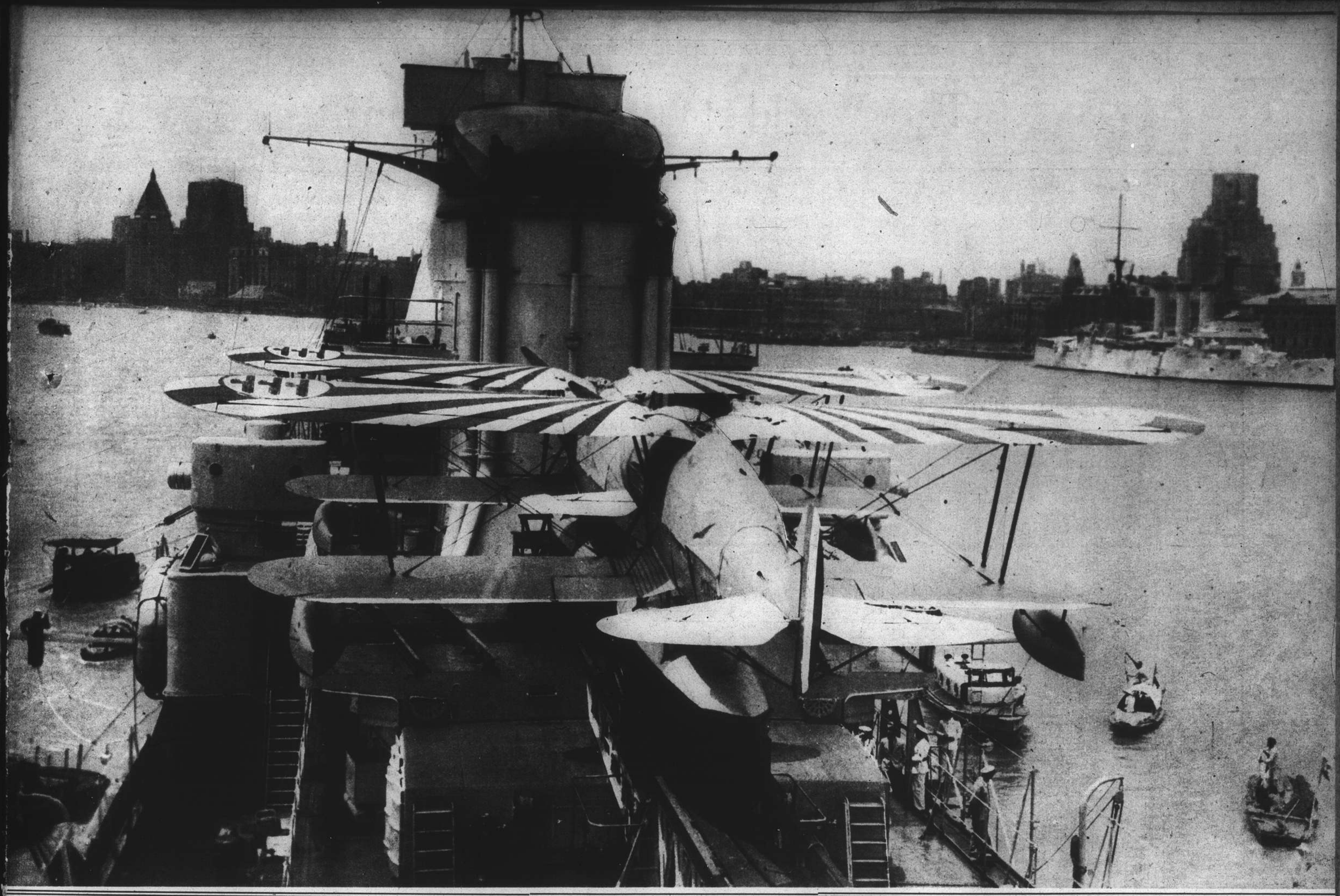
SMALL shop or sharing of shop required in Bubbling Well Road, Telephone 73965. -7191

FOR RENT, modern, third floor office, down-town. 2,560 square feet. Lease until February 28, 1939 to be taken over. Apply 668 Szechuen Road, Second Floor, from 9—12 and 2—5. -6871

DESIRABLE offices to let, National City Bank Building, Kiukiang Road. Apply Eric Davies, Room 214, 18 The Bund. 15015

CAPITOL Building, to let, suitable offices. Apply S. E. Shahmoon & Co., 83 Peking Road, Telephone 16722. 15059

TO LET, large and small modern office space in the Chartered Bank Building. 18



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R. N. Montecuccoli

An unusual view of the Italian cruiser which is anchored in midstream in the Whangpoo River just below the Soochow Creek. H.I.J.M.S. Idzumo can be seen in the right hand of the photograph berthed by the Japanese Consulate.

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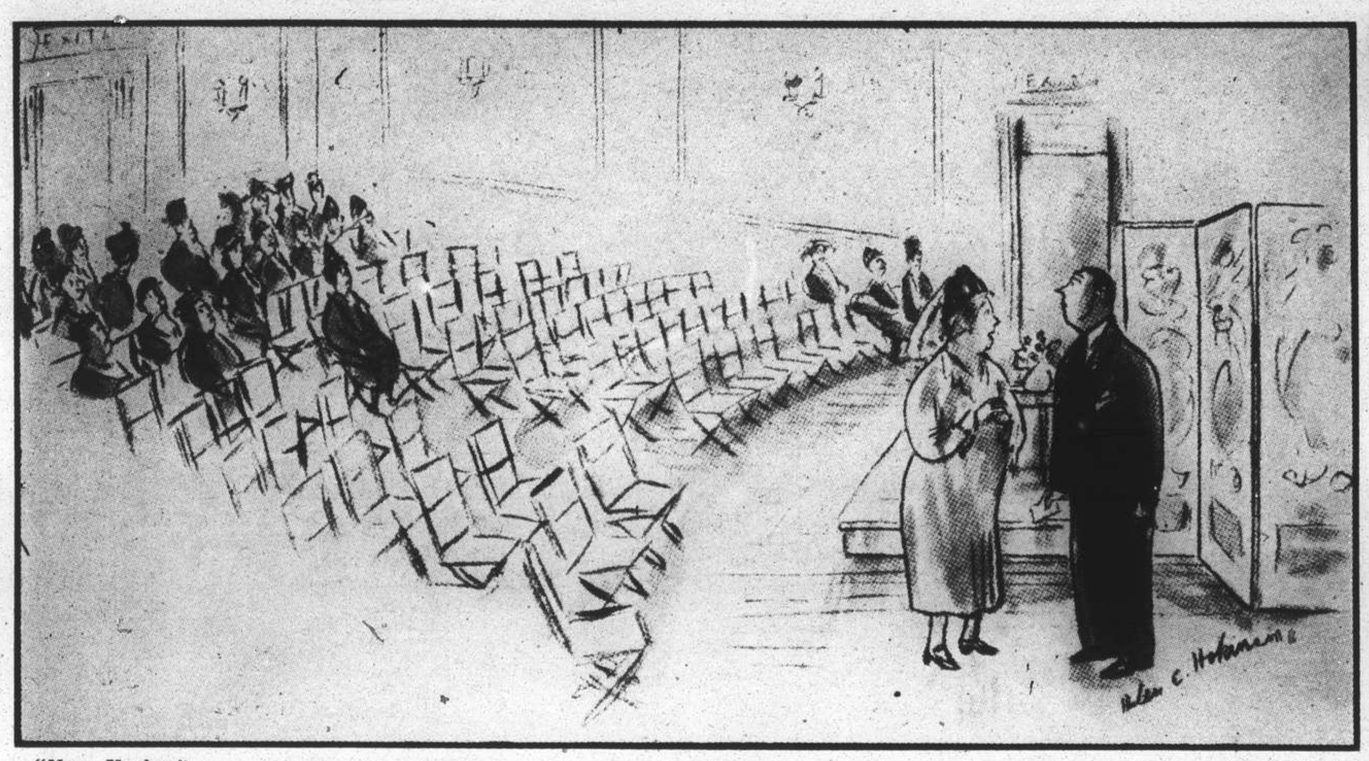


"New Yorker" *New York*

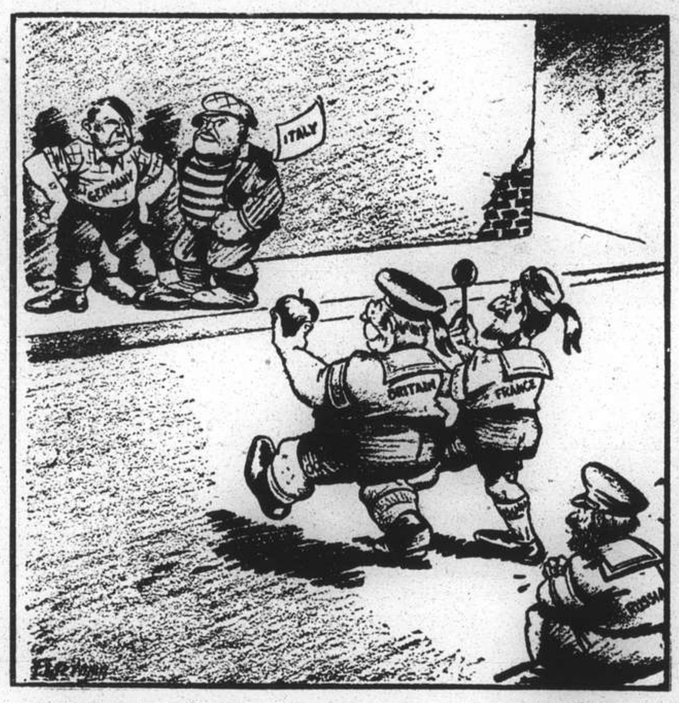
"Certain members like to sit near the door. I hope you don't mind."

"San Francisco Chronicle" *San Francisco*

SO THAT THE WAR DOG MAY EAT

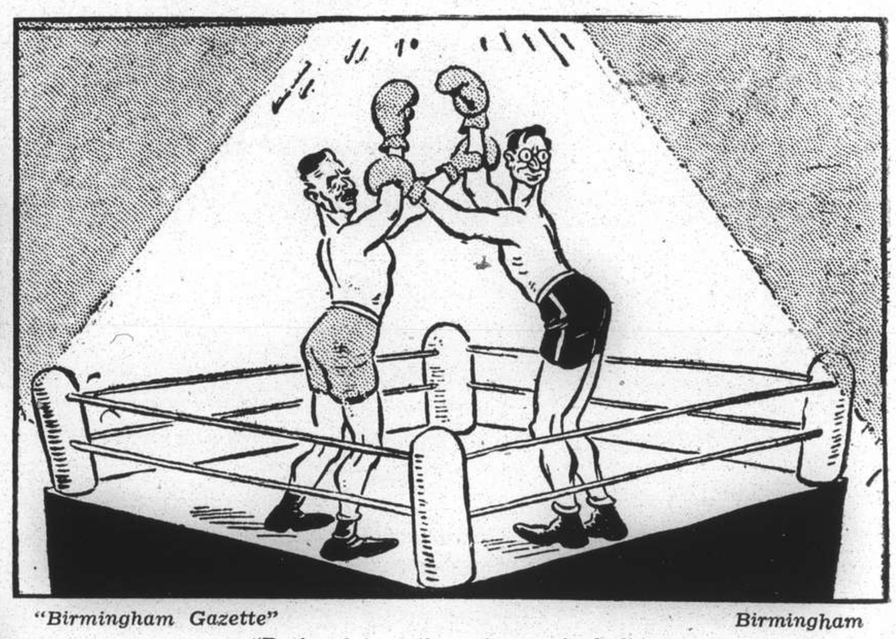
"Knickerbocker News" *Albany*

HE WANTS IT SHORT AND PLAIN



"Washington Post" *Washington*

AN AMERICAN VIEW OF EUROPE'S POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS.

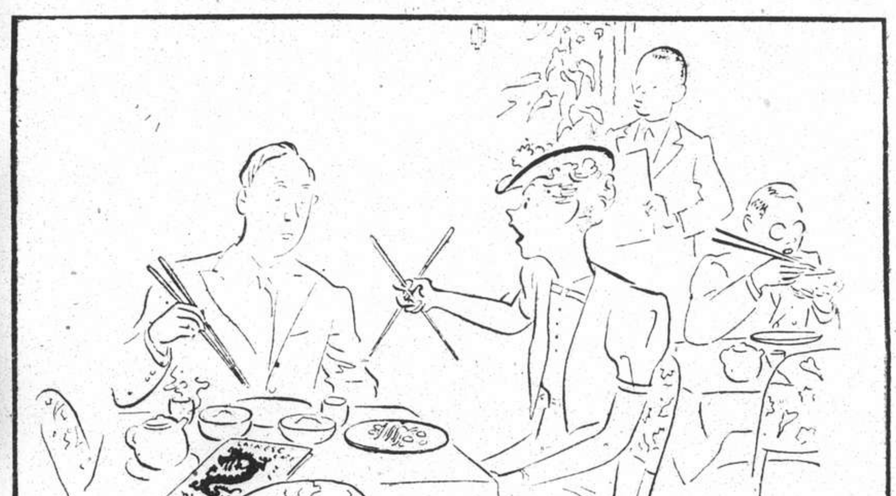


"Birmingham Gazette" *Birmingham*

"Both of 'em the winner, bedad!"

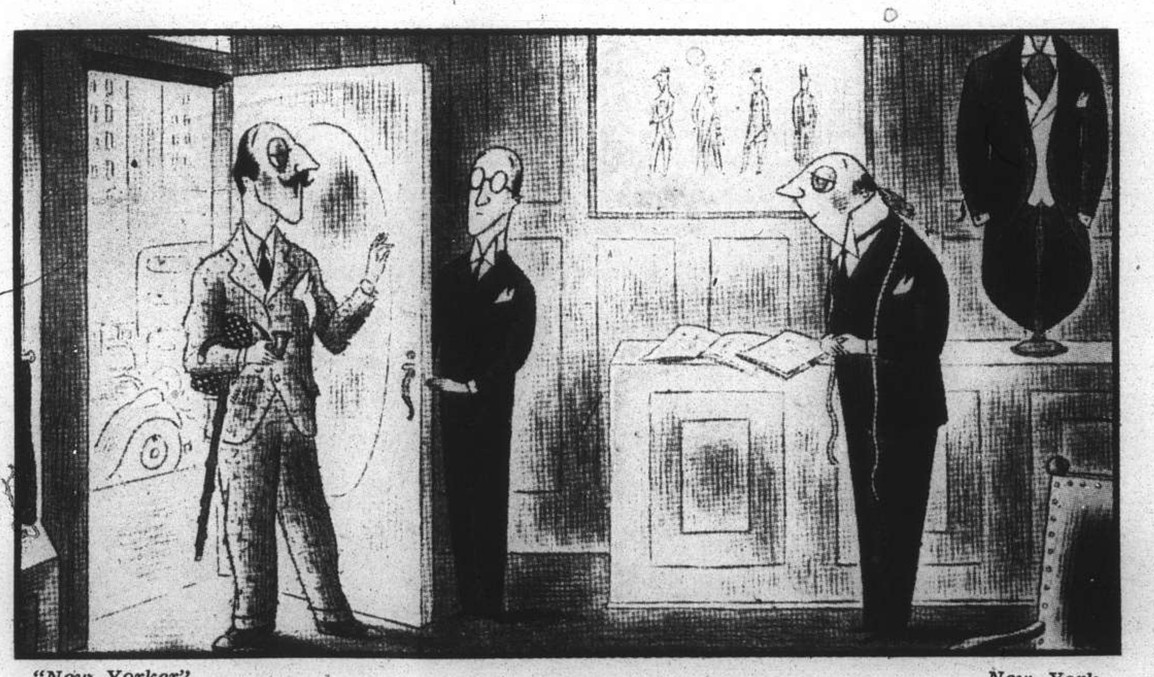
"Evening Standard" *London*

YOU'RE IN THE ARMY NOW



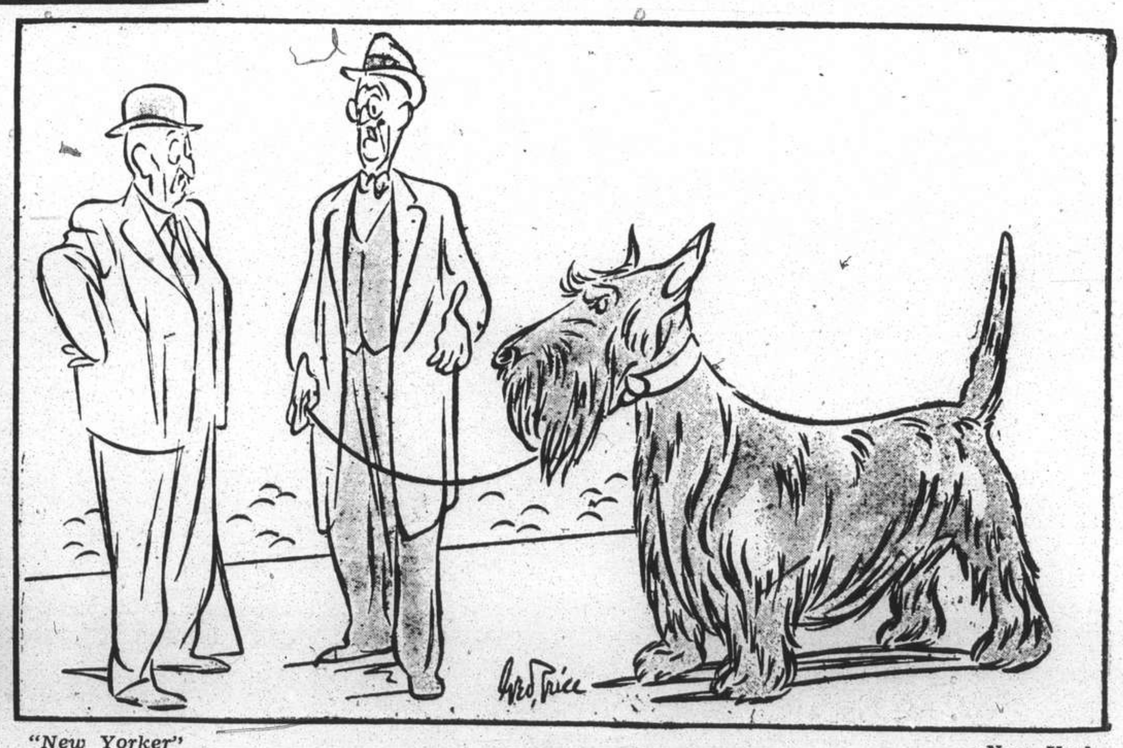
"New Yorker" *New York*

"Look, Joe, exactly the same trouble I had with skis."



"New Yorker" *New York*

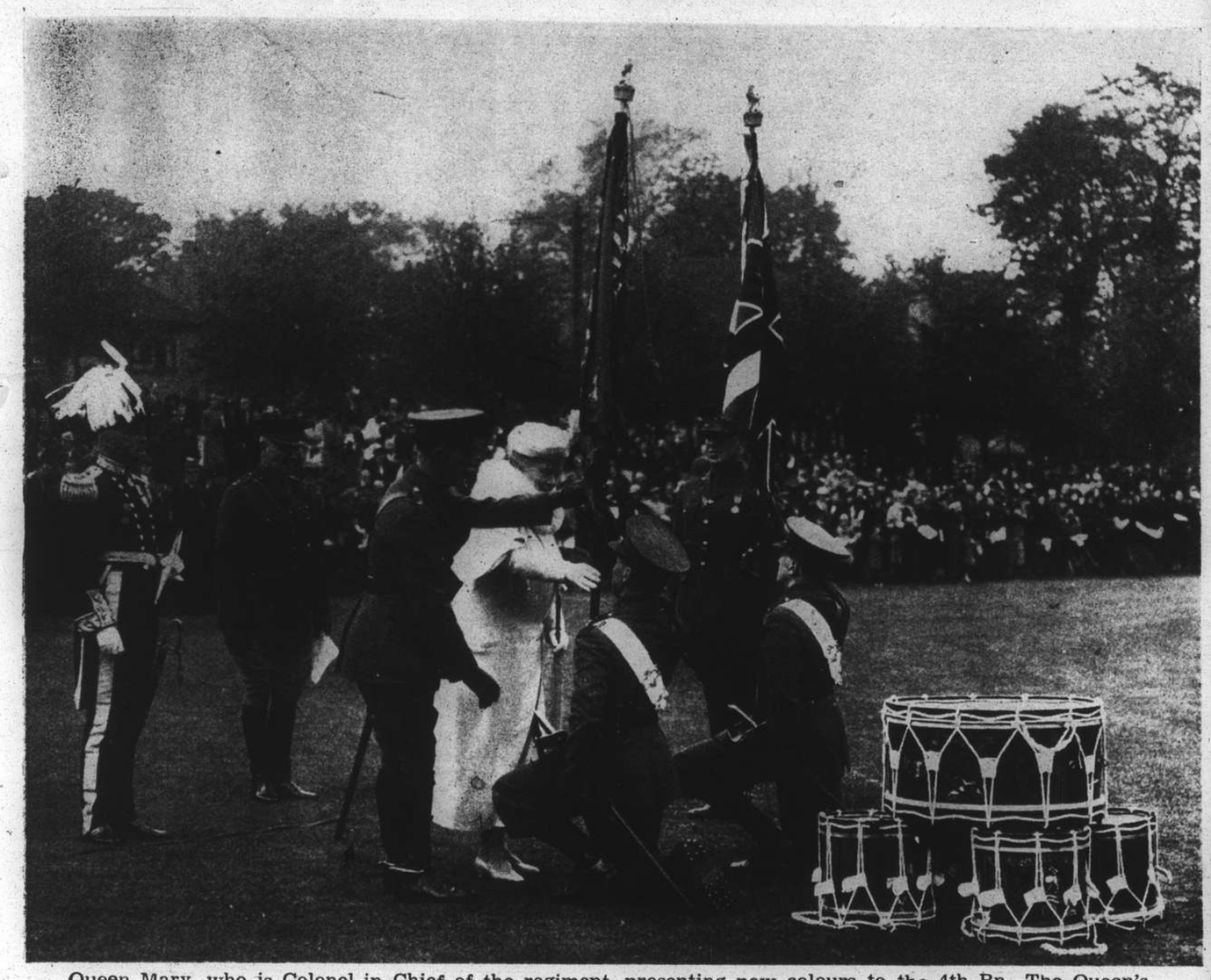
"And remember—the trousers to bag at the knees just ever so."



"New Yorker" *New York*

"We think it's a glandular disturbance."

Personalities in the News



Queen Mary, who is Colonel-in-Chief of the regiment, presenting new colours to the 4th Bn.. The Queen's Royal Regiment in the grounds of Whitgift School at Croydon. To denote her rank, Her Majesty wore a special brooch which had been presented to her by the officers.

Baby Helaine Colan whose left eye had to be removed within a few days after birth owing to a serious eye affection which would otherwise have resulted in her death. The operation will probably leave her blind for life.

Lord Perth, British Ambassador, signs the Anglo-Italian Pact while Count Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, looks on

Mr. Neville Chamberlain enjoyed a fishing holiday in Scotland recently, after an exceptionally busy time in London. The camera caught him while he was engrossed in the proper baiting of his hook.

An informal portrait of Dr. Eduard Benes, President of Czechoslovakia, with his favourite airedale dog.

Dr. Douglas Hyde, new President of the Irish Free State, with his daughter, Mrs. J. Sealy, and her children at their home in Donnybrook.

F. Warren Pershing, son of General John J. Pershing, with his radiant bride, the former Miss Muriel Bache Richards, granddaughter of Mr. Jules Bache, the well-known banker.

Mr. Eamon de Valera descending the steps of 10 Downing Street after signing the treaty between England and Ireland.

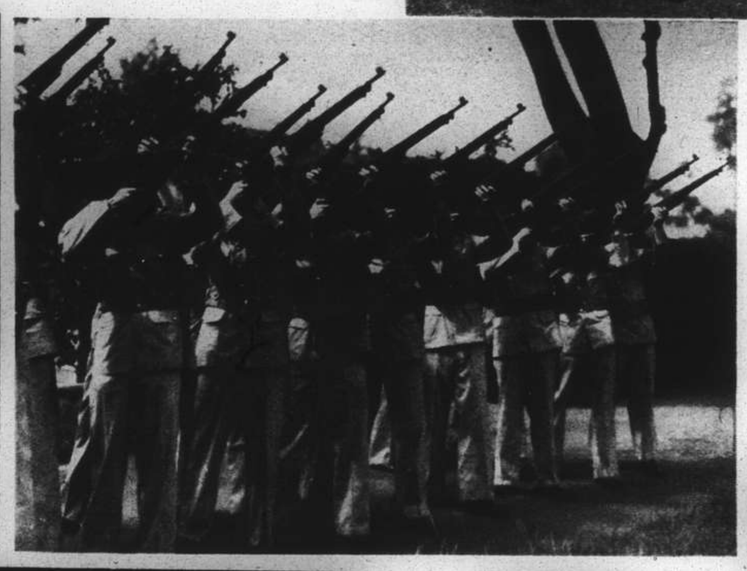
The Week in Shanghai

At the Light Horse Ball: the well-spread supper table was worth a picture. *(Below)* Mr. R. L. Heath and Miss Pecaric.—*World News Photos.*

Memorial Day

The American community in Shanghai last Monday solemnly observed Memorial Day in honour of members of American Defence Forces who have died in the service of their country. The pictures show the annual ceremony at Bubbling Well Cemetery, where a service was held over the graves of 90 American servicemen.

(Left) American Coy. S.V.C., fires a volley.
(Right) Trumpeter of 4th Marines sounding "Taps."
(Below) Detachment from U.S.S. Tulsa.—*N.C.D.N. Photos.*



At the dinner given to Major F. W. Gerrard, C.I.E., by officers of the S.M.P.: *(l. to r.)* Mr. C. C. Tao, Assist. Commissioner of Police Specials, Major Gerrard, Major K. M. Bourne.—*N.C.D.N. Photograph.*

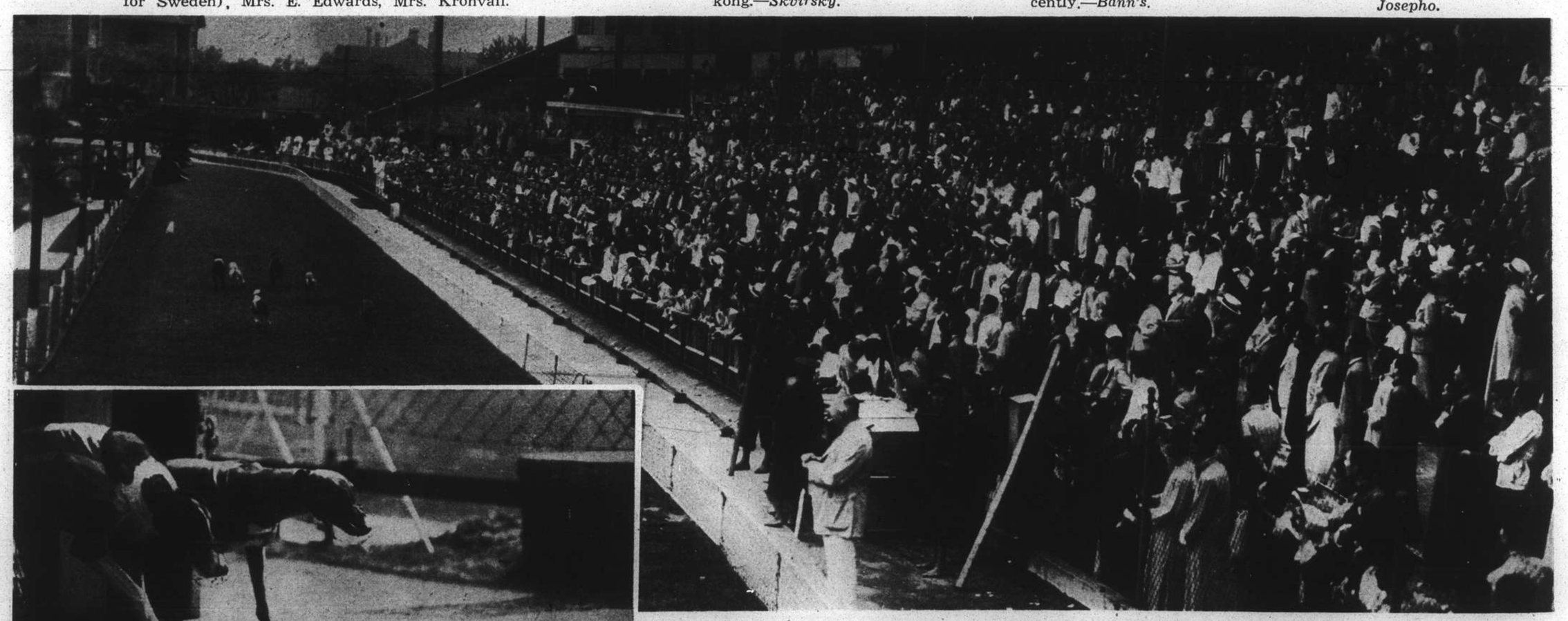
N.C.D.N. Photograph

At the opening of the Danish Garden Club on May 28: *(left to right)* Miss Traenekl, Mrs. Melchior, Mr. M. G. I. Melchior (Acting Consul-General for Denmark), Mr. K. E. A. Kronvall (Acting Consul-General for Sweden), Mrs. E. Edwards, Mrs. Kronvall.

Mr. E. A. R. Fowles, of the Asiatic Petroleum Co., and Mrs. Fowles have been transferred to Hongkong.—*Skvirsky.*

Mrs. Frank P. Lockhart, wife of the Acting Consul-General for the United States in Shanghai, arrived here recently.—*Bann's.*

Lt.-Colonel Rousselle, who replaces Lt.-Colonel Sabbatier as Military Attaché to the French Embassy.—*Josepho.*



Crowds at the Canidrome last Sunday watched heats run off for the "Canidrome Derby." (*Inset*) Two starters for a race. The dark bar running through the picture centre is the electrified rail from which is extended on an arm the hare, which can be discerned in the big picture. It is allowed to run about 10 yards past the excited dogs, when the trap-doors are raised and they are off.

Light Horse Ball Pictures

World News Photographs

(*Left to right*) Mr. E. Kermode, Miss Nancy Moller, Mr. X. de Boissezon, Miss Peggy Arnold, Mr. V. V. Needa, Miss Dido Moller.

Mrs. C. S. Franklin, Sir Allan Mossop, and Mr. C. S. Franklin hold pleasant converse round the shining board.

(*Left to right*) Mr. W. J. Gande, Mr. J. B. Manley, Mrs. Fikerment and Captain Margueron seem to be thoroughly enjoying themselves.

(*Back row, left to right*) Mr. Kenneth Piper, Mrs. J. C. Walters, Mrs. Kenneth Piper, Mrs. H. Maitland, Mr. O. S. Dunkley. (*Front, left to right*) Captain H. Maitland, L/Cpl. J. C. Walters, Mr. A. F. Judd.

(*L. to r.*) Captain C. Fanning-Evans, Miss G. E. Hawkings, Miss D. A. Hawkings, Miss V. G. Haemelinck, Lieut. A. B. Whatman. (*Back*) Captain J. H. Sheridan.

(*Left to right*) Major J. T. Ford, Captain and Mrs. H. Maitland, Lady Mossop, Mrs. Telfer-Smollett.

Miss Barbara McIntyre and Mr. L. Chadwick Kew were caught in merry mood.

Miss Audrey Hammond and Mr. J. March.

Mrs. H. A. White and Mr. G. T. Read.

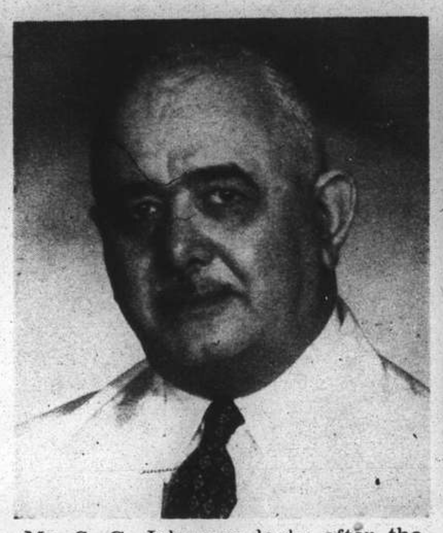
Mr. R. A. Dodd and Miss Edna Gilmour.

Miss Lorna Lucas and Lieut. D'Arcy-Irvine.

A Page of Portraits

Mr. and Mrs. D. Visser, whose marriage took place at the Netherlands Consulate-General on May 28. Mr. Visser is a second officer on the staff of the Java-China-Japan Line and Mrs. Visser was formerly Miss I. Morawaka.—*William's.*

Mme Quignam de Schompre, who has returned with her husband to Shanghai after a holiday in France. —*Skvirsky.*



Mr. S. C. Johannes looks after the Far Eastern interests of Messrs. Cusenier & Co., John Haig & Co., Martini & Rossi, etc.—*Josepho.*

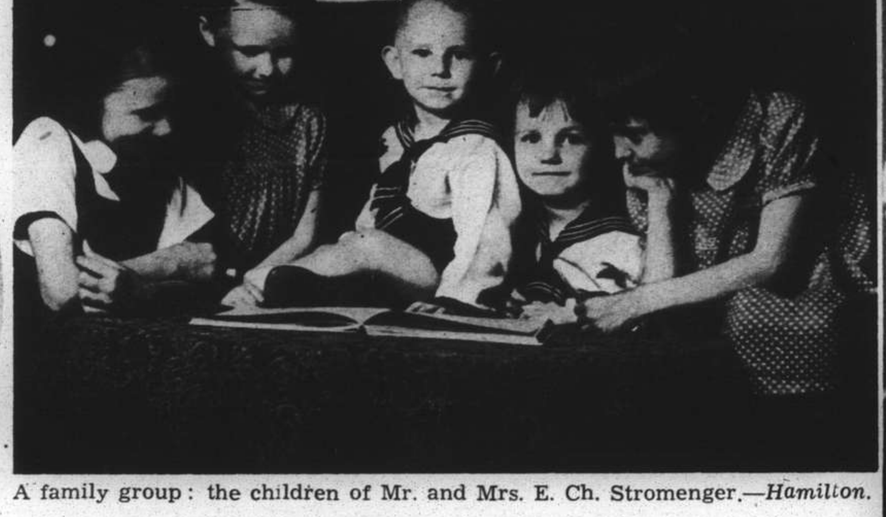
Mrs. Crispin wife of Mr. C. A. Crispin of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Co. has left for America.—*Skvirsky.*

Mrs. G. C. Shepherd and (*right*) her son Keith, who is nearly six years old.—*Skvirsky.*

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Whittington have lately returned from home leave. Mr. Whittington is on the lecturing staff of the Lester School and Henry Lester Institute.—*Josepho.*

(*Above*) Joan Beatrice is the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Jack.—*Josepho.*

Mr. P. B. Havens is manager of the China branch of the General Electric X-Ray Corporation.—*Josepho.*



A family group: the children of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ch. Stromenger.—*Hamilton.*

(*Left*) A picture of Mrs. R. Cowan and her son, Michael John. (*Right*) Mrs. Norgaard, wife of Lieut. R. N. Norgaard, U.S.N., of the U.S.S. Augusta, taken with her small daughter aged one year and ten months.—*Skvirsky.*

Mr. Otto Rasmussen, managing director of the East Asiatic Co. and Consul for Denmark in Durban, South Africa, has been a visitor en route for Copenhagen. —*Skvirsky.*

Mr. Y. Suitsu, vice-president of the Yokohama Specie Bank, passed through Shanghai on his way to North China.—*Josepho.*

Mrs. Fieth, wife of Mr. F. Fauvet Fieth of the American Express Co.—*Skvirsky.*

Miss Tamara (Lolita) Llado, whose engagement to Mr. Stewart Young was recently announced.

Mr. J. E. Ferguson is on the staff of the U. S. Navy Purchasing Office in Shanghai.—*Bann's.*

Mme Morin, wife of Mr. J. Morin of the Banque de l'Indochine, has just returned from Europe.—*Josepho.*

Lloyd Rutherford, Mary Katherine and Peyton Gardner are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd R. Craighill.—*Josepho.*

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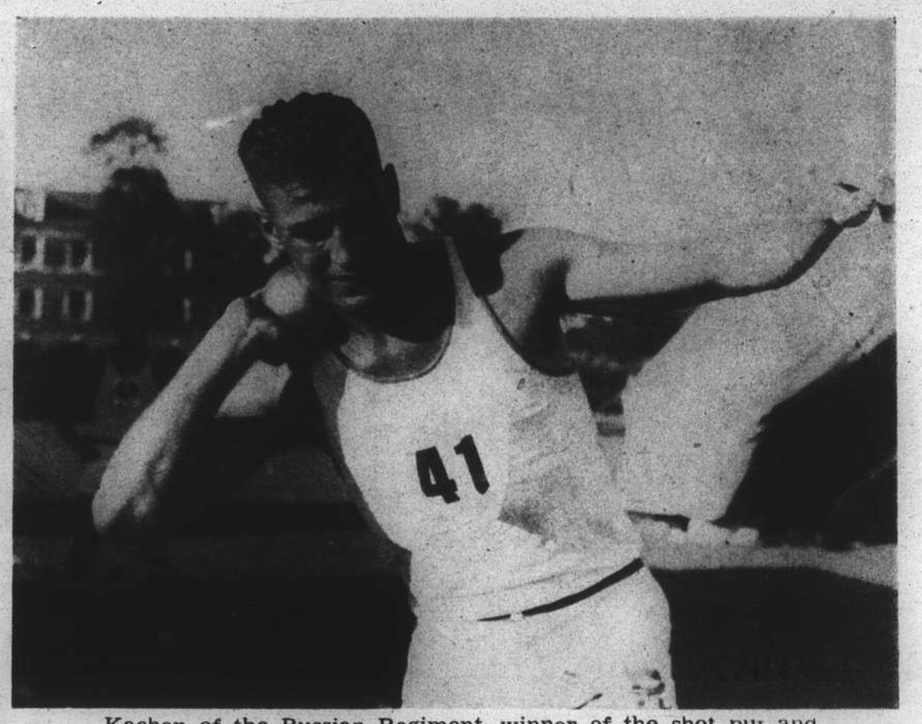
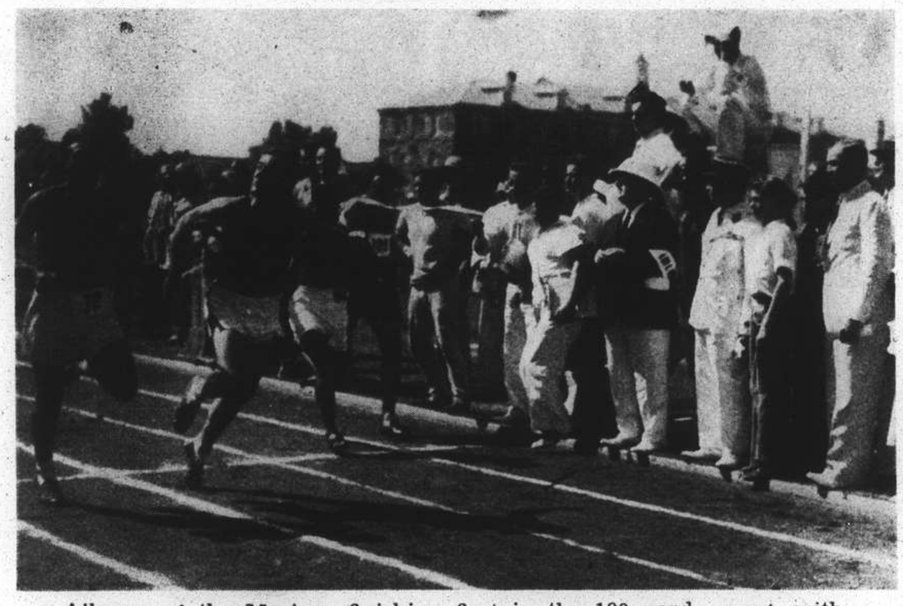
Sporting Activities in Shanghai

The start of the 1 mile race in the Inter-service Sports meeting at the American School on Monday, May 27, won by Glenn Funk of the Marines.



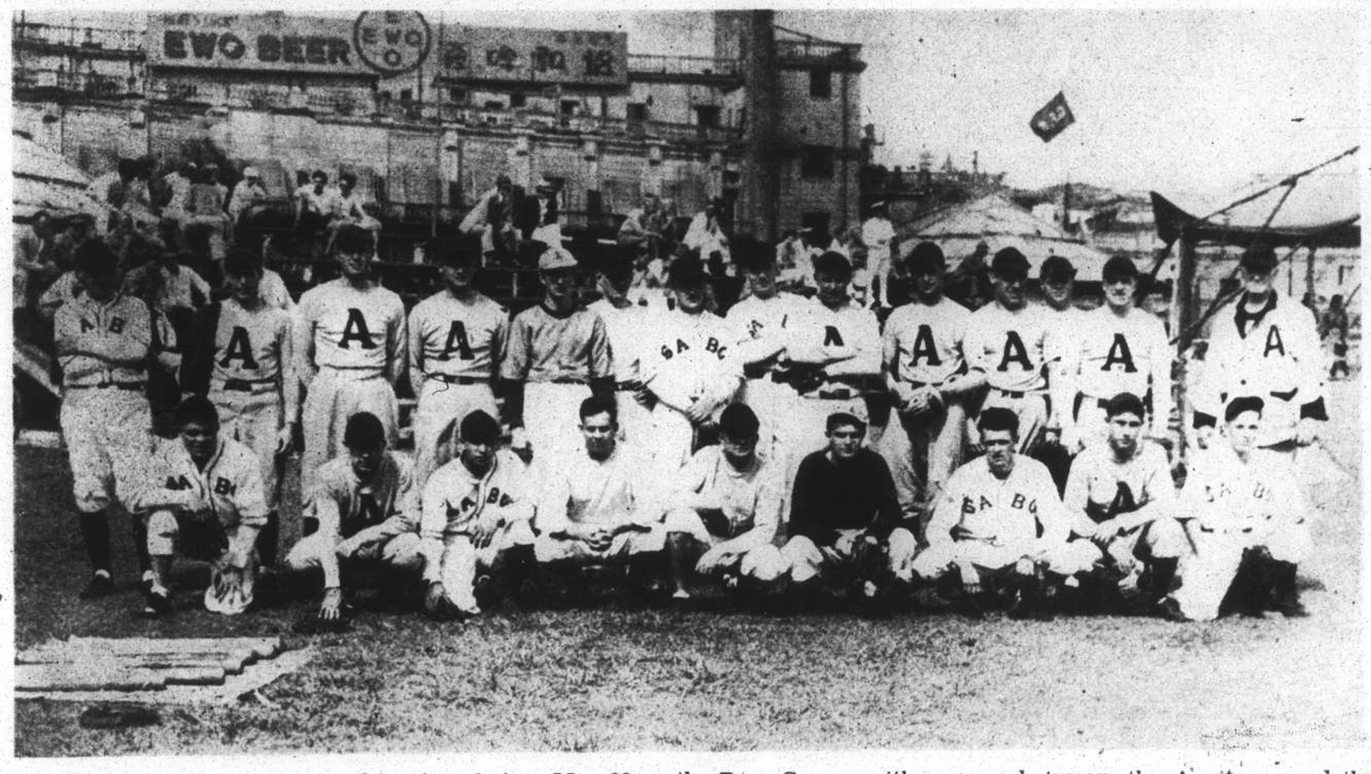
Kachan of the Russian Regiment, winner of the shot put and javelin throw.



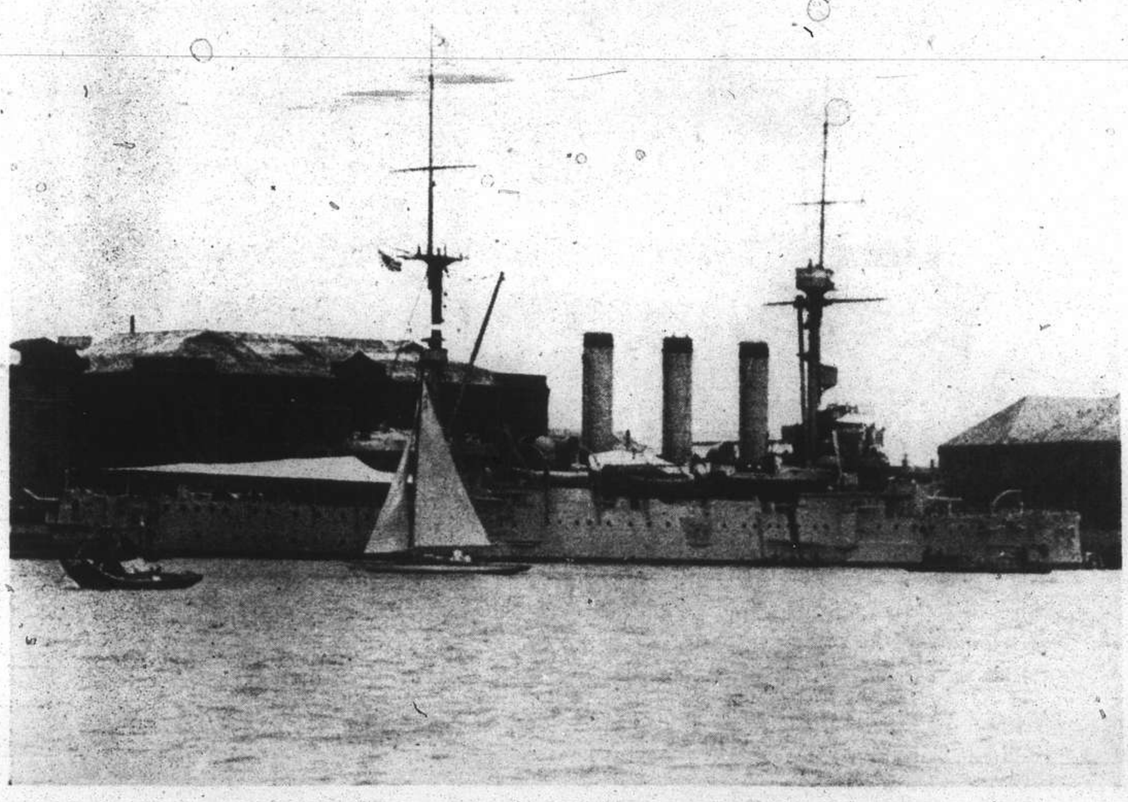
Aikman of the Marines finishing first in the 100 yards event, with Drudi, of the Grenadiers, a close second.

Chappa (Marines), who took second honours in the pole vault competition, is seen clearing 11 feet.

K. Abramoff of the Russian Regiment, winner of the pole vault competition.



The baseball season opened in Shanghai on May 28 on the Race Course with a game between the Amateurs and the U.S.S. Tulsa, the latter team winning by the overwhelming score of 21-1. (*Left*) The Amateurs squad pose before the game. (*Right*) Al Heubner (Amateurs) making the first base.



A Shanghai Yacht Club "A" Class boat cruising on the Whangpoo River, with H.I.J.M.S. Idzumo forming an effective background.

The Police cricket team defeated the S.C.C. "Stragglers" by 30 runs in a league game played on the Race Course on May 28.

June—the Month of Roses

VIGNETTES OF LIFE

By J. NORMAN LYND

"THIS IS A LADY MARGARET FROBISHER-FROBISHER"
WHY ARE ROSES ALWAYS CALLED MADAME DE POMP OR LADY PHYLLIS MONTAGUE OR MRS HYPHEN DE HYPHEN --- NEVER FOR ANY GIRLS WE KNOW?
IF YOU WANT TO HEAR CUSSING AS IS CUSSING, LISTEN ON THE DAY THE PLANT PARASITES ARE DISCOVERED IN ACTION.
"NOW IT'S MY TURN'"
WE KEEP ON HOPING
WHY CAN'T VISITORS JUST LOOK AT THE ROSES. INSTEAD OF STICKING THEIR NOSES IN THEM AND SNIFFING ALL THE PERFUME OUT OF THEM?
EVERY ROSE HAS IT'S THORN

FERTILIZER
"I'LL GET THOSE LITTLE SO-AND-SOS THAT HAVE BEEN EATING MY ROSES!" SAYS HE AS HE BREWS A POTENT SPRAY.
"THAT STINKING STUFF AS YOU CALL IT IS THE STUFF THAT GIVES THE ROSES THEIR FRAGRANCE"
POISON
POISON
MORE POISON
Dead by Poison
POISON